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"The Art of the Tariff: Trump's Bold Play to Rebuild America"

By Gary L. Wickert

In a recent interview with Tucker Carlson, U.S. Treasury Secretary Scott Bessent provided an in-depth discussion on the administration's new tariff plan, the current state of the stock market, and the potential for future tax cuts resulting from tariff revenues. This conversation shed light on the government's economic strategies and their anticipated impact on the nation's financial landscape. But beyond charts and forecasts, the interview posed a deeper question—does America still have the courage to endure short-term sacrifice for long-term greatness?

The New Tariff Plan

Secretary Bessent elaborated on President Donald Trump's implementation of sweeping tariffs aimed at revitalizing domestic manufacturing and addressing trade imbalances. Effective April 5, a baseline 10% tariff was imposed on nearly all imports, with country-specific rates varying significantly:

- European Union: 20%
- China: 54%

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Reexamining the Obama Era Endangerment Finding

Reversing this faulty EPA finding will curtail climate alarmism and green energy grifting

By Paul Dreissen



The supposed climate cataclysm consensus is disintegrating under growing pressure from reality. Green energy subsidies, regulations and mandates are crumbling. Greenpeace has been hit with a $667-million judgment for conspiracy, defamation, trespass, and fostering arson and property destruction.

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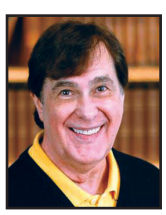
The Forces of Control Have NOT Given Up. They Have a Plan

By Tom DeWeese

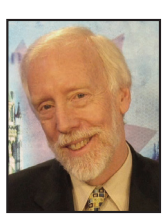
I have been warning that the global forces are working on new tactics to keep their agenda of control moving forward



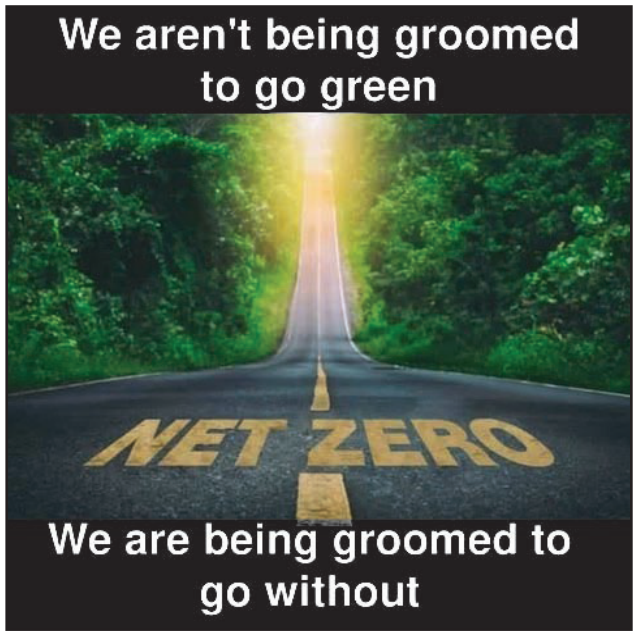
even in the wake of President Donald Trump's efforts to stop them at the federal level. Trump has shocked the nation as he has exposed the massive amount of federal funds that have been flowing into the coffers of non-governmental organizations (NGOs). These are the well-trained shock troops that lead the charge to push the *continued on page 12*

Debunking the Climate Change Consensus – Part 1

By Tom Harris



It is a tiresome drone we hear it all the time—the consensus of world scientists agree, we are causing a climate emergency and we must do everything possible to stop it! But it is a stupid statement that means nothing. Most scientists are not expert in the causes of climate change—people like biologists, particle physicists, material scientists, you name it—so *continued on page 18*



The Silent War in Our Skies: How States Are Fighting Back Against Toxic Chemtrails

From thetruthaboutcancer.com

March 29, 2025

The American people will no longer tolerate the lies. We demand the immediate declassification of all atmospheric modification programs, patents, and contracts—no more hiding behind the tired excuses.

Look up. What do you see?

The sky is under siege. Those thick, spreading streaks that linger for hours, forming unnatural grid patterns across the heavens, are not harmless condensation trails ("contrails"). If you believe that, then you've swallowed the biggest lie of the 21st century. In reality, they are chemical trails ("chemtrails"), and they represent one of the most brazen crimes against humanity in modern history.

For decades, anyone who dared *continued on page 2*

A Scholarship for Every Student, Why Not We Pay for It Now?

By William Kovacs

If the President and the Republican Congress are serious about abolishing the Department of Education and increasing test scores



by returning education to the states, they need to put education and the federal dollars spent on it directly in the hands of parents. The Department of Education, as it currently stands, is a bureaucratic entity that often hinders innovation and local control. The amounts presently spent on K-12 education by federal, state, and local *continued on page 10*

Meet The Government Consultants Raking In Millions To Spread Climate Doom

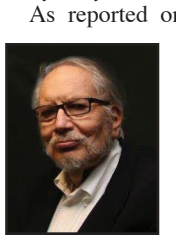
By dailywire.com

While the U.S. Global Change Research Program states on its website that it has a budget of $4.95 billion in 2025, it only lists two full-time employees. So, who's getting paid to put the massive and consequential report together?

Sources familiar with past iterations of the National Climate Assessment say the work is largely outsourced to a group called ICF, a massive government contractor that has an active contract to work on the report. The Daily Wire identified at least one active contract *continued on page 7*

Businessman Trump Knows Climate Blather When He Sees It

By Lary Bell



As reported on Politico.com and the Daily Wire.com, the Trump administration is terminating about $5 billion in funding allocated this year to the U.S. Global Change Research Program (USGCRP).

USGCRP was created to produce National Climate Assessment reports mandated by Congress under the Global Change Research Act of 1990 to guide energy and *continued on page 19*

Steve's Say . . .

Trump: Christ is King Not Only in America but Across the World



Several days ago I came across on Telegram a beautiful video entitled, "Trump Declares Historic Holy Week Initiative" from LifeSite News. Daily prayer and Scripture readings will be happening along with family activities and community outreach to get people involved in living out the message of hope and salvation that Christ delivered to us through the Pascal Mystery, i.e. His Incarnation, Life, Death on The Cross and Resurrection.

With the apparent same guidance of the Holy Spirit, I've been instructed to let President Trump's message be our Reality News message for this Easter celebration:

"This Holy Week Melania and I join in prayer with Christians celebrating the Crucifixion and Resurrection of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ - the Living Son of God, who conquered death, freed us from sin, and unlocked the Gates of Heaven for all humanity.

Beginning with Christ's triumphal entry into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday and culminating in the Pascal Triduum, which begins on Holy Thursday with the Mass of the Lord's Supper, followed by Good Friday and reaching its pinnacle in the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday night, this week is a time of reflection for Christians to memorialize Jesus' crucifixion - and to prepare their hearts, minds and souls for His miraculous Resurrection from the dead.

During the Sacred Week, we acknowledge that the glory of Easter Sunday cannot come without the sacrifice Jesus Christ made on The Cross. In His final hours on Earth, Christ willingly endured excruciating pain, torture and execution on The Cross, out of a deep and abiding love for all His creation.

Through His suffering we have redemption, through His death we are forgiven of our sins, through His Resurrection we have hope of Eternal Life. On Easter morning, the stone is rolled away, the Tomb is empty, and light prevails over darkness - signaling that death does not have the final word.

This Holy Week, my administration renews its promise to defend the Christian Faith in our schools, military, workplaces, hospitals and halls of government. WE will never waver in safeguarding the right to religious liberty, upholding the dignity of life, and protecting God in our public square. As we focus on Christ's redeeming sacrifice, we look to His love, humility and obedience - even in life's most difficult and uncertain moments.

This week we pray for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon our beloved nation. We pray that America will remain a beacon of faith, hope and freedom for the entire world, and we pray to achieve a future that reflects the truth, beauty, and goodness of Christ's Eternal Kingdom in Heaven.

May God bless you and your family during this special time of year, and may He continue to bless the United States of America!"

President Trump continues to demonstrate why God installed him as the President of the United States of America. Trump's pragmatic leadership in reorganizing the world stage renounces and destroys the systems instituted and thrust upon all humanity to keep all people divided and subjugated to their system of globalist slavery.

Only when a nation recognizes Christ as King and the head of their governmental system can it survive and prosper. America is returning to God and the One He Sent, Christ the King of Kings, with President Donald J. Trump boldly leading the way. May the rest of the world take to heart and adopt his example of giving life to our Declaration of Independence, which truly proves that the Lord God reigns at the pinnacle of our system of government.

May everyone enjoy this Easter season with their families and friends, may God's healing power come upon all of you in whatever way you need, and may His Grace and Goodness blossom in your hearts in all your days to come.

Easter Awakenings: Altruism versus Narcissism

By Matt Warneke

This past Sunday, I had the good fortune of attending a sermon about Good Friday. When one considers all the characters involved in Christ's arrest, hearing and murder, it becomes easy to understand how frail humans are, especially if they are not grounded in His message. They can proclaim to be religious, but when they become easily swayed by their own personal desires, narcissism seems to overcome them.

Narcissists will choose their own wants and needs over helping others. They will ignore their own basic rules, like the 10 commandments. They will overlook the acts of caring, charity, love and peace for their own individual benefits. I consider these acts of ingrates, or as Jesus preferred to call them, simply hypocrites.

The last day of His life, many people elected to kill Christ, ignoring the most basic commandment. The mob mentality ruled that day. It is our duty as fellow Christians, as witnesses to Christ's life and words, to call them out. Just as Jesus did.

In Romans Chapter 10, Paul presents the universal proclamation of the gospel. It starts with an awareness, our faith, which we develop over the course of our lifetime. It requires hearing, and knowledge is essential for belief. Someone must speak for those to hear, and that preacher was Christ. Someone had to send Christ to teach, and that was God. God gave His only Son for us, the true act of Salvation. An act of altruism for all. Let us continue to shine the light, the truth, and the way.

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question the unnatural grid patterns streaking across the sky was dismissed as a "conspiracy theorist." But now, with over two dozen states introducing legislation to ban weather modification and chemtrails, the truth can no longer be ignored: We are being sprayed.

The controlled media can no longer contain the truth as more whistleblowers come forward with evidence of toxic heavy metals in our rainwater and soil that match exactly the chemicals described in government patents. Yes, patents…

The U.S. government has long held patents for stratospheric aerosol injection, including US5003186A, which details methods of dispersing aluminum, barium, and other reflective particles into the atmosphere under the guise of "solar radiation management." Meanwhile, the U.S. Navy holds US3899144A, which clearly describes methods for creating "powdered contrails" loaded with metallic particles. This is not some theoretical concept buried in obscure research papers; these are active, iHere are just a few more patents relating to chemtrails and geoengineering:

1. US Patent #1619183
US Patent# 2045865
US Patent# 2591988
US Patent# 3437502
US Patent# 3531310

But sure, keep believing that chemtrails are just "ice crystals" in the sky….

The Tide is Turning: States Push Back Against Geoengineering

The fight to stop chemtrails is gaining serious momentum. Our *continued on page 24*

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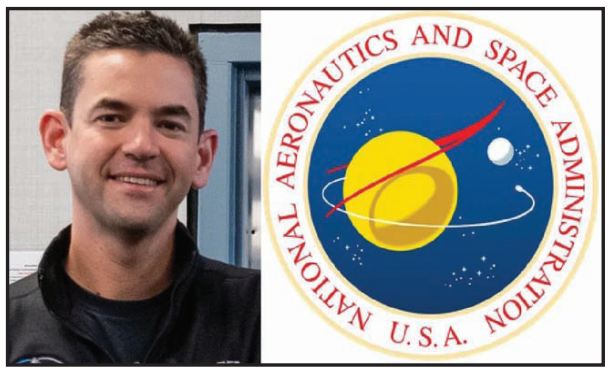
New NASA Chief Will Wind Down Climate Alarm Shop

By Larry Bell

Claiming no privileged information, this writer is enormously optimistic that incoming Trump pick to head NASA, Jared Isaacman, will terminate funding of the NASA Goddard Institute for Space Studies (GISS) in concert with DOGE waste-cutting, space program redirection, and pro-drilling energy priorities.

The Wall Street Journal purports to have a clearer inside picture "based upon interviews with nearly three dozen people close to Elon Musk, the Trump administration, NASA, lawmakers and SpaceX," one which comports with my prediction that a shifted critical path emphasis to ambitious human Mars programs will redirect vital funding away from readily expendable climate research and related green energy agendas.

According to the Journal, President Trump announced the appointment soon after Musk reached out to Isaacman, the payments entrepreneur who has flown to orbit with SpaceX and invested in the company asking if he would take the job.



All three, Trump, Musk and Isaacman, share independently wealthy billionaire backgrounds and uncommonly far-forward-looking societal goals.

During his joint Congress inauguration speech, Trump said that he would launch Americans to "plant the Stars and Stripes on the planet Mars."

Musk said in a mid-March Fox News interview, "We are going to be able to take astronauts to Mars and ultimately build a self-sustaining civilization on Mars. That is the long-term goal of the company: make life multi-planetary."

Isaacman, the founder of Shift4, a payment-processing company that partly funded the SpaceX "Polaris Dawn" suborbital mission and flew aboard as a crew member told the Wall Street Journal in 2021 "You have to go past where we're comfortable."

After Trump announced his nomination to have him lead NASA on an X post, he said, "I can confidently say this second space age has only just begun."

Dialing back to NASA GISS, it's difficult to imagine that any of the three dedicated space exploration action figures will wish to continue to divert any more of the agency's annual $25 billion budget to support climate alarmism by an ugly poster child for DOGE waste spending reform.

Some will recall that GISS, a small climate modeling shop located in a Manhattan office building, was originally used to give unwarranted credibility to a claimed human-caused global warming crisis from the beginning.

Former GISS Director James Hansen first gained worldwide attention in 1988 following his star witness testimony before then-Senator Al Gore's Committee on Science, Technology and Space when he stated with 99% certainty that temperatures had, in fact, increased and that there had been some greenhouse warming, although he then made no direct connection between the two.

This observation was consistent with concerns about a particularly warm summer that year in some U.S. regions.

Over time, Hansen's pronouncements became ever more dramatic.

In a Dec. 6, 2005, presentation to the American Geophysical Union he stated that the Earth's climate was already reaching a tipping point that will result in the loss of Arctic ice as we know it, with sea levels rising as much as 80 feet during this century, thus flooding coastal areas. He warned that this could be halted only if greenhouse gas emissions were reduced within the next 25 years.

Hansen was subsequently arrested three times in climate protests

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Evangelicalism is not ready for the culture's rightward shift

By Andrew T. Walker

[Editor's note: Theologian Andrew Walker clearly and wisely identifies one of the greatest weaknesses of American evangelicalism, its failure to preach and teach "the whole counsel of God" (Acts 20:27)—or as I like to unpack that a bit, "the whole counsel of God from the whole Word of God to the whole people of God for the whole of life." Here's the introduction to Walker's March 25, 2025, article for World News Group. I encourage everyone to click through and read it all.–ECB]

There's a quiet irony unfolding in the evangelical church today. After decades of lamenting cultural decay, many Christians like me are watching with fascination, and some degree of caution, as the broader culture shows signs of a rightward shift after the 2024 election.

This week, Axios put out what I can only call a stunning article on the abysmal state of the Democratic Party. That article follows from an interview the New York Times's Ezra Klein did with Democratic pollster David Shor, revealing the same trend: a general cultural rejection of progressivism that appears to be happening at virtually all levels of American life, especially among Gen Z, which is forecasted to become one of the most conservative generations on record. This is particularly true of younger men, who are decidedly more conservative.

There are many possible explanations for what is happening in the culture. One reason is that progressivism went too far. It assumed that everyone would accept social progressivism's fascination with identity, inclusion, and political correctness or simply overwhelm the opposition owing to the cultural majority that elites enjoy. Another possible explanation is that liberalism misread the field. After all, most Americans do not have college degrees. It's insane to assume that highly educated New Yorkers' social dogmas are amenable to the values upheld by farmers in Nebraska. Or maybe the explanation for Gen Z's rightward trajectory, in particular, is that it is the generation that grew up under the most stifling regime of woke progressivism, a constellation of ideas that viewed society through the lens of oppressor and the oppressed, with white men as the arch-scapegoat to assuage progressivism's wrath.

Disillusionment with progressivism, a questioning of progressive social dogmas, a reconsideration of traditional values, the growing acceptance of masculine and feminine ideals, and an increasing desire for order and permanence are taking root, particularly among younger generations. As I have written previously, that also coincides with some very dark trends, such as racism, eugenics, transhumanism, and anti-Semitism.

You might think this is the moment evangelicalism was waiting for. The wicked witch of progressivism is dead, right? So that means an opportunity for Christians to finally "engage the culture" and win, right?

But evangelicalism isn't ready to lead in this moment because generations of evangelical leaders have not spoken affirmatively of the creaturely instincts that progressives have been attacking for decades.

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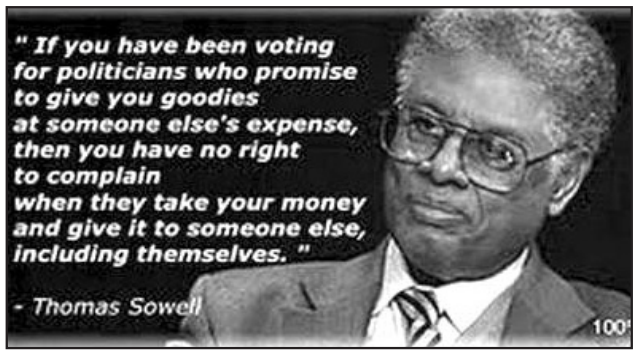

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European Union Is on the Verge of Vassalizing America Through New Global ESG Law

By Justin Haskins, James Taylor, Jack McPherrin, Lois Perry

'The CSDDD is the greatest threat to America's sovereignty since the fall of the Soviet Union.'

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'The EU's CSDDD isn't just a law—it's a global shackle, chaining businesses and freedoms to Brussels' radical agenda.'

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, IL (March 31, 2025) – The radical environmental, social, and governance (ESG) movement has recently experienced substantial setbacks in the United States. However, ESG is far from dead. In fact, it will soon be imposed on America by the European Union.

The European Union's recently enacted Corporate Sustainability Due Diligence Directive (CSDDD) is designed to impose sweeping ESG obligations on large companies worldwide—including hundreds of America's most prominent corporations—regardless of whether they are based in the European Union.

Worse, large companies covered by the CSDDD will be forced to ensure that nearly all their business partners adhere to the same stringent obligations, irrespective of how much revenue they generate or where they conduct business. Because of this focus on companies' supply and value chains, it is possible that nearly every business in the world will ultimately be forced to comply with the European Union's draconian policy initiatives, transforming global economic and social activity.

A new Heartland Institute Policy Study titled "CSDDD: The European Union's Corporate Sustainability Due Diligence Directive Is a Direct Threat to U.S. Sovereignty, Free Markets, and Individual Liberty" thoroughly examines the CSDDD and its ramifications upon American society.

As Heartland authors Jack McPherrin and Justin Haskins conclude, "If the CSDDD goes unanswered, the United States will effectively become a vassal state of the European Union and be fundamentally transformed through corporate coercion. The way Americans work, the products and services they can buy, the kinds of cars they can drive, the source of their electricity, their food and agricultural practices, the living standards they enjoy, and countless other aspects of their lives will be altered for the worse by the CSDDD."

It is imperative that the American people and their elected representatives wake up to this threat and push back against the CSDDD as strongly as possible. All actions to oppose the CSDDD should be on the table and aggressively pursued.

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"The CSDDD is the greatest threat to America's sovereignty since the fall of the Soviet Union. The law's drafters designed the legislation to coerce countries like the United States and United Kingdom to adhere to whatever rules EU bureaucrats dream up. It doesn't matter how costly they are or whether U.S. voters want them.

"Americans should be outraged by the European Union's actions, and U.S. policymakers should take immediate action to stop the CSDDD in its tracks. A trade war between the EU and America would be extremely unfortunate, but if that's what is necessary to show EU policymakers that the United States won't give up its sovereignty, then so be it."

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"The EU's CSDDD is exactly the type of aggressive and globalist progressive meddling that provokes President Trump to consider tariffs. If the European Union foolishly wishes to impose woke ESG mandates on its own businesses, so be it. But the CSDDD goes far beyond that and intentionally imposes the EU's woke leftist agenda on businesses based in the United States, the United Kingdom, and elsewhere.

"The CSDDD is bad for Europe, bad for the UK, bad for America, and bad for European-American relations. Such a unilateral provocation, which preceded President Trump returning to the White House, begs for and requires a negative American and international response."

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"It is not hyperbolic to say the European Union's new global ESG law is one of the most economically restrictive and nakedly authoritarian laws in the history of western democratic civilization. If allowed to proceed unchecked, the CSDDD will eviscerate U.S. sovereignty, economic prosperity, free markets, and individual liberty, replacing those bedrock ideals with a new system of global corporatism designed and enforced by elites in Brussels.

"U.S. policymakers must take decisive action against the CSDDD while there is still a short window of time to do so. All diplomatic actions taken to protect our most fundamental principles and our way of life should be considered and aggressively pursued. This is not a drill."

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"The EU's CSDDD isn't just a law—it's a global shackle, chaining businesses and freedoms to Brussels' radical agenda. If we don't fight back, America, the UK, and the global economy will pay the price for decades.

"This is corporate coercion dressed up as sustainability. The CSDDD threatens to turn the United Kingdom and the United States into EU vassals and strangle free markets worldwide, and time is running out to stop it."

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'Cheap' Wind and Solar Raise Electricity Prices

By H. Sterling Burnett

Multiple studies have demonstrated wind and solar power remain more expensive than historically traditional sources of electricity, such as coal, natural gas, nuclear, and hydropower, and Energy Information Administration data back that up—disproving claims by renewable energy profiteers and their lobbying groups. As coal plants have been prematurely retired and replaced by wind and solar, prices have risen and reliability has declined. The greater the forced (through renewable mandates) or incentivized (through subsidies, tax breaks, and tax credits) incursion of wind and solar into a state's electric power supply, the higher and faster the costs rise.

I'm from Texas, and my electric power rates have risen faster than the national average, to where our rates are now above average. Just 10 to 15 years ago, Texas' electricity rates were declining and well below the national average, with residents such as myself benefiting from some of the lowest costs in the nation. The recent price rise has been driven by the closure of large coal-fueled power plants, amounting to several thousands of megawatts of reliable power being taken offline, and the tremendous growth of "cheap" wind and solar power, faster here than in the rest of the nation. Texas now leads the United States in intermittent wind and is second in the nation for intermittent solar, all built upon favorable federal and state subsidy regimes.

My personal conclusions were confirmed in a study published in the journal Electricity in 2022, which found solar power to be the most expensive form of electric power on a Levelized Full Cost of System (LFSCOE) basis. That means the costs of providing electricity by a given generation technology, assuming that a particular market has to be supplied solely by this source of electricity plus storage. Solar power has been the fastest-growing

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But you said it was an investment

By OP ED Watch

As Canada thrashes about reversing its mad charge toward a non-existent energy transition while plunging boldly on, under its new Prime Minister who loves carbon taxes but hates them, sad news reaches us that "Cabinet is searching for new investors to save a heavily subsidized Québec electric auto battery plant, Industry Minister François-Philippe Champagne said yesterday. Northvolt, the original owner, filed for bankruptcy in its native Sweden." Which isn't the sad part unless you're one of those weirdos who gets upset at governments incinerating tax dollars while neglecting their core duties. The sad part is that whilst passing the hat, and the buck, Champagne told reporters "What's important is we managed to get Québec into the automobile industry." Yeah. Except for the automobiles. It really is a weird fantasy land they inhabit.

Among its strange features, failure is success. Thus in the face of cascading failures a "Department of Industry briefing note" with the not really soothing title "Delays And Challenges In Canada's Automotive Industry Transition To Electrification" burbles:

"The government recognizes any major industrial transformation takes time and that responsible risk taking is an inherent part of supporting innovation in a competitive global economy. While the implementation time frame may vary with market conditions, the companies investing in Canada remain committed."

The implementation time frame, no less. And as Blacklock's Reporter says tartly:

"The document was written three days after Industry Minister François-Philippe Champagne asked Canadians to rally around the industry."

As if we have a choice, with them picking our pockets for subsidies, and ordering us to buy the things. Which could be described as bossy but these people know all and see all or think they do. Thus Champagne brushes off Northvolt's bankruptcy and the incredible vanishing subsidies with "You're going from a technology that we've been doing for 100 years and now we're looking at the next 100 years." And seeing what? A huge statue of yourself? A vast and shadowy line of subsidies?

The latter is what we're seeing, including some unspecified sum that went to the lucky folks at the "PAK Lithium Project" because:

"Worldwide demand for critical minerals is expected to double by 2040, and Canada is uniquely positioned to be a global leader and supply this growing market".

Wow. And there's more. You also get:

"Since the launch of Canada's first-ever Critical Minerals Strategy in 2023, the government has made historic investments and removed barriers to get good mines and processing facilities built faster, without compromising the environment and Indigenous rights…. As Canada continues to position itself for success with a cleaner, stronger and better-prepared economy – one that is competitive in a low-carbon world – projects like this one are key."

Now when governments, especially the Canadian one, use the term "continues" it means they wouldn't have a clue how to do something even if they tried, not that they are pointing to a solid record of success. But it would be easier to believe their vision for 2040 (and 2125) and their assessment of underlying economic conditions if they'd seen the bankruptcy of Northvolt coming… or recognized it as a disaster when it did instead of billing it as a triumph.

Instead it turns out that public sector unions have been investing their gold-plated pensions in this trendy thing too, secure in the knowledge that if all goes sour the same governments that made taxpayers without defined-benefit pensions pay for public servants with them will bail them out from… those taxpayers' pockets, already emptied to buy expensive EVs they didn't even want if any actually get built which may well not happen.

Then there's a press release "From yellow to green: Canada supports electric school bus transition", which informs us that some lucky people just bagged nearly a million dollars to think about a greener world:

"The transition from conventional diesel vehicles to electric requires important planning and preparation. This investment will support First Canada ULC to complete the necessary studies and collect the data needed to eventually move toward a zero emission bus fleet. The planning studies will help analyze routes and operations, assess risk, identify utility and facility requirements, assist with costs estimates, and determine project feasibility. Once complete, this project will increase First Canada ULC's readiness to transition to a zero emission bus fleet. First Canada ULC provides school bus transportation services, operating buses in six provinces and one territory."

So no actual buses. Just visionary visioning of a vision. Man, that's living.

Or not because of the safety issue. We don't want to go on at too great length about it. But it's not trivial, especially because the EV boosters are, normally, hypersensitive to it. For instance (h/t Anthony Watts) "Tube" drivers in London, UK, are threatening to strike unless the city's exquisitely woke mayor relents and bans e-bikes from the whole London Underground network because of their tendency to explode into toxic flames, as e-scooters have been banned since 2021.



As with many other aspects of the shimmering green vision, direct contact with its components can be painful financially even when not physically. Thus California recently withdrew its zero-emission truck mandate, because of "[h]igh costs, infrastructure gaps, and legal challenges" (well, it is California, the state where your blender power cord warns of cancer risks). And while some of the problem was clearly bureaucratic, there are those who'd ask whether, if they're not actually the ticket in balmy California, they're really what you want in a Canadian winter.

We also note that in disgust at Elon Musk's close association with Donald Trump, many of the kinds of people who would buy an EV to prove a point are now refusing to buy them. (Not to mention the idiots actively destroying other people's.) To which we say it's a free world and it's your money, until the government grabs it. But if you think buying Chinese EVs is better for the world economically, politically or environmentally we question your judgement sharply. There's a

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source of electric power in Texas for the past few years, with a rush to build during the Biden presidency. With solar being the most expensive source of electric power on an LFSCOE basis, Texas has unsurprisingly moved among the fastest-rising electric power rates in the nation.

Evidence of wind and solar power's deleterious impacts on retail electric rates can also be found in a new study published by the American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC). ALEC has long fought for consumers, ratepayers, and sound science on climate change, battling nefarious efforts of utilities, climate lobbying groups, and virtue-signaling politicians to end or sharply limit the use of fossil fuels, especially coal, for electricity, and replace them with unreliable wind and solar. Politicians in particular have pushed climate alarm as a path to profit in terms of money and power.

ALEC's study breaks down of all 50 states' electric power situations: each state's portfolio or a breakdown of its generating sources; climate rules and regulations that limit or require certain types of power; and the retail cost of electricity in every state, broken out by residential, commercial, industrial, and transportation uses; ending with a state-by-state comparison.

"Consumers pay higher prices for their electric utilities in states that have more regulations on their energy sector," says a story in the Center Square describing the study's bottom line.

"[T]he five states with the highest electricity prices implement stricter regulatory structures," the Center Square reports. "'All five of these states have in place Renewable Portfolio Standards and cap-and-trade programs,' the report said. "Additionally, each of these states imposes a mandated net metering policy on its utilities, which is where utility companies pay consumers who generate electricity from rooftop solar panels for any excess electricity these panels push back onto the electric grid."

The states with the cheapest and slowest-growing electric power prices do not have renewable power mandates, aren't parties to intrastate or interstate carbon dioxide cap-and-trade schemes, and most don't have mandatory net metering of solar power.

ALEC's report reveals the top generating sources for electric power in a state also correlate highly to the state's ranking on retail electric power prices. With the exception of Idaho, each of the five states with the lowest electric power prices gets most or the largest percentage of its electric power from coal generation. Idaho is the exception because it gets the largest percentage of its power from hydroelectric dams.

By contrast, four of the five states with the highest electric power prices have completely removed coal generation from their portfolios. Hawaii, an outlier because of its location, gets only 7 percent of its power from coal.

The data clearly implies that a state can have relatively cheap electric power, or it can have climate restrictions and high percentages of its electricity come from wind and solar, but it can't have both. Embracing climate alarmism, adopting renewable portfolio mandates, implementing solar and wind financing schemes, and punishing fossil fuel use through cap-and-trade boondoggles or carbon taxes lead to higher electricity prices, and electric power prices have escalated as those programs' requirements have become more stringent over time.

This isn't rhetoric or a right-wing conspiracy or climate denial. These are the facts, grounded in real-world data.

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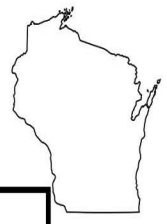

And the Slime Thickens

ROFR, the "Right of First Refusal" legislation designed to give a few Energy Companies a monopoly for construction of new energy transmission AND take all of the money to pay for the higher costs out of YOUR pocket seems to be playing opossum. According to a HOT Government press release dated 4/7/25, AB-25 and SB-28 may be on life support, but they are not dead. "Lawmakers," read into that what you want, are attempting to slide ROFR into some other piece of legislation. This way, the whole thing won't get debated and your precious Assemblyman and Senator won't have to take any static for screwing you.

To quote the Press Release:

*Capitol sources say that **a vote in the Assembly is expected on April 15**, with **a State Senate vote likely to follow on April 22**. No specific bill has yet been confirmed, but legislators are reportedly negotiating how and where to insert the ROFR language.*

You still have a chance to contact your Assemblyman and Senator and let them know that YOUR higher energy costs aren't going to be the ONLY bill that has to be paid.

What is being exhibited here is a classic example of how government works in its OWN interest and ignores the will of those who allegedly elected them. They don't care about YOU. They only care about how much more money can be funneled into their bank accounts, either now or when the big-shot leaders get paid off with some lobbyist job or book deal. Isn't that enough to make you sick?

Once you're over being sick, you might want to get just a little pissed off. You might want to tell your representative exactly what you think of them. Well, maybe not "exactly" what you think of them. (Be nice. Be polite. They need to be on your side.) You might also want to talk to your Democrat friends and neighbors about how Republican Leadership is screwing them too. What are their Democrat reps going to do about it? Side with those evil Republicans?

The reaction to that might be priceless.

Quote of the Week:

Quote of the Week: "Details that could throw doubt on your interpretation must be given, if you know them. You must do the best you can — if you know anything at all wrong, or possibly wrong — to explain it. If you make a theory, for example, and advertise it, or put it out, then you must also put down all the facts that disagree with it, as well as those that agree with it. There is also a more subtle problem. When you have put a lot of ideas together to make an elaborate theory, you want to make sure, when explaining what it fits, that those things it fits are not just the things that gave you the idea for the theory; but that the finished theory makes something else come out right, in addition." — Richard Feynman, Cargo Cult Science, Caltech's 1974 commencement address.

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This Week:

By Ken Haapala, President, Science and Environmental Policy Project (SEPP)

The Science & Environmental Policy Project began in late 1990 as a research effort by atmospheric physicist S. Fred Singer and a handful of graduate students working out of a small office in downtownWashington, D.C.The Project had two goals: (1) to gather material for a book on global environmental issues,and (2) to conduct a survey of scientists affiliated with the UN Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change to determine the extent of what was, even then, being touted as scientific "consensus" on global warming.

What the graduate students discovered with their survey convinced Dr. Singer to set his book aside and instead to circulate among senior members of the American Meteorological Society a "Statement by Atmospheric Scientists" on greenhouse warming, which was quickly endorsed by 46 leading climatologists and atmospheric physicists (and eventually by nearly 100). That statement, issued on February 27, 1992, drew widespread media attention and was cited more than 150 times in the press. It was the first inkling journalists had that there was no scientific consensus on the reality of a global warming. Indeed, there was raging debate.

The Science & Environmental Policy Project was incorporated in the state of Virginia in 1992, and established as a nonprofit, 501(c)3 educational organization in late 1993.Today, having expanded from that core of 46 scientists, it draws on an international network of some of the finest minds in science who donate their time to promoting sound, credible, peer-reviewed research as the only basis for the health and environmental policies that affect us all.

You can help in two ways:

1. Download SEPP reports, press releases, and articles and pass them on – to newspaper editors, journalists, educators, civic leaders, and others. Help stop the fearmongering and the distortion of science.This is the most important thing you can do.

2. Support SEPP with your tax-deductible contributions. The environmental pressure groups, which present so much wrong information, have a combined clout of more than $1 billion a year.The Science & Environmental Policy Project has had far-reaching impact on less than one-hundredth of one percent of that figure. It's money well and effectively spent.

Send your contributions to:

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And thank you.

SCIENCE & ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY PROJECT

The Week That Was April 12th, 2025

Scope: TWTW discusses at length the disturbing evidence that US agencies considered to be premier in research have farmed out the major US report on climate change to a US consulting firm with international offices. It then discusses physical evidence that contradicts the findings in the report, called the US National Climate Assessment. Subsections in this discussion are separated by short strings of asterisks (*********). TWTW also corrects an error it has made in describing the work of John Tyndall, then concludes with a brief review of the reversals in litigation experienced by Mr. Mann.

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Climate Change Alarm? Writing in the digital newspaper Politico, journalist Zack Coleman alarmed the climate change community. His report began [boldface added]:

"The Trump administration is canceling funding for the U.S. Global Change Research Program [USGCRP], the entity that produces the federal government's signature climate change study, according to three federal officials familiar with the move.

The move, which had been widely expected, is a potentially fatal blow to the National Climate Assessment, the study that Congress mandated under the Global Change Research Act of 1990 be issued every four years to ensure the government understands the threats that rising temperatures pose and what is driving climate changes. The report is the U.S. government's most comprehensive look at climate change and serves as a crucial guide to state and community efforts to prepare for the effects.

The officials said NASA has canceled the contract with consulting firm ICF International, which coordinates the U.S. Global Change Research Program andthe 13 federal agencies that write the National Climate Assessment.

Killing that contract has 'forever severed' climate change work occurring across agencies, said one federal official heavily involved in USGCRP efforts, who was granted anonymity to discuss the politically sensitive issue to avoid retribution.

The practical effect means the National Climate Assessment will not move forward even though Congress requires a new assessment be issued by 2027, said a second official who is involved in USGCRP activities and was also granted anonymity.

ICF International did not immediately respond to requests for comment.'

A NASA spokesperson did not confirm the contract had been cut but said the agency was 'streamlining its contract providing technical, analytical, and programmatic support' for the U.S. Global Change Research Program.

'NASA is working with OSTP [White House Office of Science and Technical Policy] on how to best support the congressionally mandated program while also increasing efficiencies across the 14 agencies and advisory committee supporting this effort,' the spokesperson said in statement.

Several USGCRP officials were fired Wednesday, said a third official, who works at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

The cut comes as President Donald Trump's EPA has launched an effort to reconsider the climate endangerment finding, the agency's determination affirming the scientific finding that greenhouse gases harm human health, and which serves as the basis of all U.S. greenhouse gas regulations."

Given that the endangerment finding is the basis for all U.S. greenhouse gas regulations and that the National Climate Assessment is the premier scientific document, the news report raises questions such as what is ICF International, how much money is involved, and does the report employ the scientific method?

In his discussion on the announcement Ron Clutz states [emphasis in original]:

"While the U.S. Global Change Research Program states on its website that it has a budget of $4.95 billion in 2025, it only lists two full-time employees. So, who's getting paid to put the massive and consequential report together?

Sources familiar with past iterations of the National Climate Assessment say the work is largely outsourced to a group called ICF, a massive government contractor that has an active contract to work on the report."

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USGCRP Website: The U.S. Global Change Research Program (USGCRP) website currently states [emphasis in original]:

"USGCRP facilitates collaboration and cooperation across 15 federal member agencies to advance a whole-of-government response to global environmental change. Research and services coordinated by USGCRP inform the nation in navigating the challenges of a changing environment and identifying opportunities for a more resilient future.

Together, USGCRP and its member agencies provide the nation with authoritative science, tools, and resources to help people and organizations across the country manage risks and respond to changing environmental conditions.

Our Vision

A Nation, globally engaged and guided by science, meeting the challenges of climate and global change for the benefit of all.

Our Mission

To empower the Nation and the world to anticipate and respond to urgent risks of climate and global change by creating and providing accessible, usable knowledge.

Our Strategic Plan

USGCRP's 2022–2031 Strategic Plan sets the course for federal global change research for the next decade. It was informed by input and review from federal agencies; the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine; and the public, and lays the foundation for meeting new and growing challenges, as well as demands for useful, accessible, and inclusive data and information.

The Plan is organized around four pillars: Advancing Science; Engaging the Nation; Informing Decisions; and Collaborating Internationally.

Under this Plan, USGCRP will continue to build and refine understanding of global change in ways that respond to emerging needs and provide critical information for the benefit of all.

Budget

The budget crosscut represents the funds self-identified by USGCRP agencies as their expenditures in support of USGCRP research activities.

In addition, USGCRP leverages agency activities not represented in the budget crosscut to accomplish its mission. For example, weather operational satellite systems and surface-based observing networks that are foundational to USGCRP research were originally implemented by their sponsoring agencies for operational purposes, and thus typically are not included in the research crosscut. This budget crosscut does not include expenditures in support of USGCRP climate services activities."

Fiscal Year (FY) 2025 USGCRP Budget Crosscut by Agency

NASA; FY 2024 Enacted, 1,717 million; FY 2025 1,873 million

National Science Foundation; FY 2024 Enacted 772 million; FY 2025 897 million

Department of Commerce; FY 2024 Enacted 574 million; FY 2025 560 million

The USGCRP link under staff identifies Heidi Roop as Deputy Director for Services and Ariela Zycherman as the Director, National Climate Assessment. Other positions are given, but no one else is identified. Others are identified in the U.S. Global Change Research Program for 2025: "Our Changing Planet" gives names of others, but they are not identified as permanent staff on the USGCRP website.

The executive summary begins with [boldface in original]:

"The U.S. Global Change Research Program (USGCRP) and its 15 member agencies provide the scientific foundation and coordination for understanding and responding to global change trends and their impacts, informing the nation and the world in navigating the challenges of a changing environment. The impacts of climate change and other global changes are affecting Americans—and people across the world—every day. As we face rising threats from sea level rise, extreme heat, deadly storms, damage to ecosystems, and other critical challenges, our program is evolving in new directions to guide urgently needed actions to address risks and help the nation identify opportunities for a more resilient future.

The science is clear: without immediate, steep cuts in greenhouse gas emissions, carbon removal from the atmosphere, and accelerated adaptation, the impacts of climate change will only continue to worsen, with greater risk of catastrophic or irreversible consequences for current and future generations. At the same time, as the Fifth National Climate Assessment shows—climate actions are expanding across the country, we have many effective options to drastically reduce emissions, and we can adapt our built and natural environments to better withstand the impacts that cannot be avoided (USGCRP, 2023).

As the impacts of climate and global change worsen, the federal government is responding to growing demands for actionable data, products, and services to support adaptation, resilience, and mitigation actions. Information needs are more urgent and specific than ever, with an increasing focus on informing local and long-term climate solutions. To meet these needs, USGCRP and its member agencies are advancing high-priority science and building new capacity to provide useful, usable information to diverse communities and users for the benefit of all.

This Fiscal Year 2025 edition of USGCRP's annual report to Congress highlights advancements in science and information delivery that show how the Program is meeting national needs. The Five-Year Progress section provides a longer-term look at USGCRP work on three selected topics: understanding the changing water cycle; responding to needs for climate information; and

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Number of the Week: Six: According to a US government website under "Contracts" as reported in The Hill, on April 8 NASA cancelled six separate contracts with ICF Incorporated, LLC. See link under Challenging the Orthodoxy

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advancing diversity, equity, inclusion, justice, and accessibility across global change research efforts. We also highlight more recent activities in the 2023 Accomplishments section and look ahead to upcoming work in the Current and Future Priorities section."

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Fifth Assessment Report: The latest report of the USGCRP asserts:

"The science is clear: without immediate, steep cuts in greenhouse gas emissions, carbon removal from the atmosphere, and accelerated adaptation, the impacts of climate change will only continue to worsen, with greater risk of catastrophic or irreversible consequences for current and future generations."

Since the above quote states the science is clear, will we find it in the USGCRP, 2023, the Fifth National Climate Assessment?

Physical Evidence in the Fifth National Climate Assessment: The opening of the Fifth National Climate Assessment starts with:

The Fifth National Climate Assessment is the US Government's preeminent report on climate change impacts, risks, and responses. It is a congressionally mandated interagency effort that provides the scientific foundation to support informed decision-making across the United States.

It has many pictures, but photos are not physical evidence. The first section starts [citations and figures omitted here]:

"How the United States Is Addressing Climate Change

The effects of human-caused climate change are already far-reaching and worsening across every region of the United States. Rapidly reducing greenhouse gas emissions can limit future warming and associated increases in many risks. Across the country, efforts to adapt to climate change and reduce emissions have expanded since 2018, and US emissions have fallen since peaking in 2007. However, without deeper cuts in global net greenhouse gas emissions and accelerated adaptation efforts, severe climate risks to the United States will continue to grow.

Future climate change impacts depend on choices made today.

The more the planet warms, the greater the impacts. Without rapid and deep reductions in global greenhouse gas emissions from human activities, the risks of accelerating sea level rise, intensifying extreme weather, and other harmful climate impacts will continue to grow. Each additional increment of warming is expected to lead to more damage and greater economic losses compared to previous increments of warming, while the risk of catastrophic or unforeseen consequences also increases.

However, this also means that each increment of warming that the world avoids—through actions that cut emissions or remove carbon dioxide (CO2) from the atmosphere—reduces the risks and harmful impacts of climate change. While there are still uncertainties about how the planet will react to rapid warming, the degree to which climate change will continue to worsen is largely in human hands.

In addition to reducing risks to future generations, rapid emissions cuts are expected to have immediate health and economic benefits. At the national scale, the benefits of deep emissions cuts for current and future generations are expected to far outweigh the costs."

What we see is relies on the discredited UN IPCC extreme scenario of remarkably high emissions (SSP5-8.5). It also omits any discussion of the emissions by other nations, and the emissions of China that far exceed those of the US. It further states:

"How the United States Is Experiencing Climate Change

As extreme events and other climate hazards intensify, harmful impacts on people across the United States are increasing. Climate impacts—combined with other stressors—are leading to ripple effects across sectors and regions that multiply harms, with disproportionate effects on underserved and overburdened communities.

Current climate changes are unprecedented over thousands of years.

Global greenhouse gas emissions from human activities continue to increase, resulting in rapid warming and other large-scale changes, including rising sea levels, melting ice, ocean warming and acidification, changing rainfall patterns, and shifts in timing of seasonal events. Many of the climate conditions and impacts people are experiencing today are unprecedented for thousands of years." [Boldface added here]

The report ignores the reports of the International Commission on Stratigraphy based on geological history which estimate that Earth's maximum temperature since the last ice age occurred in the Greenlandian Stage/Age, about 8200 to 11,700 years ago and Earth has generally cooled since, with some warming periods. According to Britannica:

"The Holocene Epoch resisted formal subdivision until June 2018, when the International Union of Geological Sciences (IUGS) and the International Commission on Stratigraphy divided the epoch into three stages. The start of the Greenlandian stage (11,700 to 8,300 years ago), known from Greenland ice cores, coincides with the lower boundary of the Holocene. The onset of the Northgrippian stage (8,300 to 4,200 years ago), also determined using ice cores from Greenland, coincided with a period of cooling that occurred in the North Atlantic about 8,300 years ago. In contrast, the Meghalayan stage (4,200 years ago to the present) was determined using a speleothem, or cave deposit (in this case, a stalagmite from Mawmluh Cave in Meghalaya, India). The stalagmite captured a 200-year period of worldwide drought and cooling dating to about 4,200 years ago. The climatic shift produced severe disruptions in natural resources that were felt by civilizations in the low and middle latitudes around the world, including those of ancient Egypt, Mesopotamia, and the Yangtze River Valley." [Boldface added]

The physical evidence presented by the International Commission on Stratigraphy and others contradicts major assertions in the US Fifth National Climate Assessment such as those in the table of Rapid and Unprecedented Changes, (Figure 1.6). These assertions are:

800k years: Present-day levels of greenhouse gases in the atmosphere are higher than at any time in at least the past 800,000 years, with most of the emissions occurring since 1970. [There is no contradiction here.]

3,000 years: The rate of sea level rise in the 20th century was faster than in any other century in the last 3,000 years. This assertion is contradicted by evidence presented in graph "Sea Level Since Last Glacial Maximum" which is based on physical evidence from coral and peat data (Figure 17) in "Nature, Not Human Activity, Rules the Climate." It shows no increase in the past 3,000 years from a geologically stable location.

2,000 years: Global temperature has increased faster in the past 50 years than at any time in at least the past 2,000 years. This is contradicted by D-O Events, the general cooling shown by the International Commission on Stratigraphy, and the Medieval Warm Period, which was not confined to Europe, but found world-wide. Further global temperatures do not necessarily apply to the US. According to Wikipedia, 1936 North American heat wave:

"The 1936 North American heat wave was one of the most severe heat waves in the modern history of North America. It took place in the middle of the Great Depression and Dust Bowl of the 1930s and caused more than 5,000 deaths. Many state and city record high temperatures set during the 1936 heat wave stood until the 2012 North American heat wave.[2][3] Many more endure to this day; as of 2022, 13 state record high temperatures were set in 1936. The 1936 heat wave followed one of the coldest winters on record."

1,200 years: The current drought in the western US is now the most severe drought in at least 1,200 years and has persisted for decades. Long-term droughts are a problem in the arid Southwest and have repeatedly occurred. For example, according to Britannica, Southwest Indian:

"Farming became important for subsequent residents including the Ancestral Pueblo (Anasazi; c. ad 100–1600), the Mogollon (c. ad 200–1450), and the Hohokam (c. ad 200–1400). These groups lived in permanent and semi-permanent settlements that they sometimes built near (or even on) sheltering cliffs; developed various forms of irrigation; grew crops of corn (maize), beans, and squash; and had complex social and ritual habits. It is believed that the Ancestral Pueblo were the ancestors of the modern Pueblo Indians, that the Hohokam were the ancestors of the Pima and Tohono O'odham (Papago), and that the Mogollon dispersed or joined other communities."

In northern Arizona and New Mexico major villages were abandoned some 400 to 800 years ago due to drought. Some are preserved and are tourist attractions today.

Further, modern instruments can measure current rates of change readily. However, as a 2015 paper by David Kemp, et al., asserts "Maximum rates of climate change are systematically underestimated in the geological record." The geological record does not have the resolution to measure annual or decadal change.

What we see is that the USGCRP ignores contradicting evidence, a clear violation of the scientific method. The issues are what is the ICF International and why have US scientific agencies deferred to it in the US government's premier scientific report on climate change?

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ICF International, Inc.: According to Wikipedia:

"ICF International, Inc. is an American publicly traded consulting and technology services company based in Reston, Virginia.

The company was founded in 1969, and as of 2019, had US $1.48 billion in revenue, with approximately 9,000 full and part-time employees in more than 90 offices.

Why have US agencies deferred to ICF International for US government's premier scientific report on climate change? Only the heads of these agencies can say. But it is highly disturbing about the integrity of these "expert" agencies, particularly the National Science Foundation, is that they are paying international consultants to write the US government's premier scientific report on climate change.

Further, a report in The Hill newspapers gives a link which shows on April 8, NASA cancelled 6 contracts with ICF Incorporated, LLC., for Administrative Management and General Management Consulting Services.

So much for the claims that federal agencies have special expertise and must be deferred to during litigation issues. See extensive links under Challenging the Orthodoxy, link under Challenging the Orthodoxy – NIPCC, individual entries in Wikipedia, https://www.globalchange.gov/about-us for the USGCRP website, and https://www.icf.com/company/about for ICF Incorporated, LLC.

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A Correction: Several TWTW readers have corrected erroneous statements that John Tyndall named greenhouse gases. He did not. In an 1861 lecture to the Royal Society, "The Bakerian Lecture: On the Absorption and Radiation of Heat by Gases and Vapors, and on the Physical Connection of Radiation, Absorption, and Conduction" Tyndall attributed to specific gases a warming effect. The abstract states;

"The researches on glaciers which I have had the honor of submitting from time to time to the notice of the Royal Society, directed my attention in a special manner to the observations and speculations of De Saussure, Fourier, M. Pouillet, and Mr. Hopkins, on the transmission of solar and terrestrial heat through the earth's atmosphere. This gave practical effect to a desire which I had previously entertained to make the mutual action of radiant heat and gases of all kinds the subject of an experimental inquiry. Our acquaintance with this department of Physics is exceedingly limited. So far as my knowledge extends, the literature of the subject

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from NASA for ICF to "support" the U.S. Global Change Research Program. ICF is set to be paid millions of dollars during the Trump administration to "assist the nation and the world to understand, assess, predict, and respond to human-induced and natural processes of global change."

The contract was first announced in June 2021, and described as a $34 million, five-year contract to help with the National Climate Assessments. Only $18 million has been paid out, according to the government spending database. But with another assessment on deck and ICF under contract for another year, the additional $16 million could be disbursed in the next year.

A climate scientist who has worked on the National Climate Assessment in the past says ICF runs the show, virtually controlling the entire U.S. Global Change Research Program.

"By providing all staff for the USGCRP, a federal agency, the ICF exerts undue influence over the global change narrative and priorities presented by the federal government," said the official, who requested anonymity to discuss the work. "The ICF, through the USGCRP, exerts an undue influence on the production of the National Climate Assessment every four years. With the exception of its Executive Director and the Director of the National Climate Assessment, the ICF supplies all staff associated with the USGCRP."

Those two positions mentioned by the climate official are the only two employees listed on the U.S. Global Change Research Program staff list: a director of the National Climate Assessment named Ariela Zycherman, and a deputy director for services named Heidi Roop.

A top Trump administration official, Russell Vought, has signaled that he wanted to exert more oversight over the next climate assessment. Vought runs the powerful Office of Management and Budget, and has openly stated that he wants to make deep cuts to "woke and weaponized" spending.

Vought has specifically called out the U.S. Global Change Research Program's report, arguing that the bureaucrats who write it end up with outsized power over government action. He's called for an investigation of the political leanings of the contractors that assemble the report.

Both staffers listed by U.S. Global Change Research Program appear to be highly partisan actors. Zycherman last year contributed to the presidential campaigns of both Joe Biden and then Kamala Harris, according to campaign finance records. Roop has her pronouns in her Instagram bio and describes herself as a "climate scientist focused on preparing for a warmer world."

Free Trade

"Whosoever is partner with a thief hateth his own soul: he heareth cursing and bewrayeth not." Proverbs 29:24

By Riley J Hood

I hear many a liberal talk about the glories of "free trade." I tell you there is no such thing. Ever notice how free-trade agreements contain hundreds and thousands of regulations? Ever notice how NAFTA, the North American Free Trade Area has sent work to Mexico? Ever notice how the WTO, World Trade Organization, a UN free trade organization has sent work to Communist China? If everything was free, it would have no regulations and no strings attached. Free trade is a euphemism for cheap labor, slave labor, and our country's enemies having a free ride at America's expense. Some call it outsourcing, I call it job theft.

Having stated the destructive results and hypocrisy of such a policy, I will tell you why "free-trade," is a hoax. In 1816, the Democrat Party's plank included "Free Trade," which meant eliminating the revenue tariffs authorized by the US Constitution. The tariff promoted industry; it also cut into the easy money boy's action. The easy money boys of 1816 were the slave holding plantation owners, who not only worked people to death for nothing, but also owned people as property. Today's "free traders" are Globalists, who hate America, and certainly hate Americans who have blue-collar jobs.

The US Constitution Article I, Section 8, paragraph 1 states, "The Congress shall have Power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and excises, to pay the debts and provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United states; but all duties, imposts and excises shall be uniform throughout the United states;" Paragraph 3 states, "To regulate Commerce with foreign nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes;" So as you can see regulating trade is Constitutional. Free trade, is thus a fantasy.

Not only are the Liberals, and Globalists involved in supporting free trade, so are the libertarians. I'm sure you're thinking; how can that be? Well libertarians promote Anarchy, rather than limited government. Libertarians will usually defend the Bill of Rights, but despise the main body of the Constitution. Their calls for free trade show their disdain for the Constitution.

Liberation Day, April 2nd, 2025 came none too soon, and I was disgusted that one week later Trump caved, and announced a 90-day pause, China excepted. The biggest opponents to the Donald Trump's tariffs are Democrats, libertarians, and Pro-Chinese profiteers. These traitors padded their pockets from the destruction of the American working man, and the American family. They act as if other countries had no tariffs, and are only retaliating, yet, the truth is, after over 70 years, America has finally struck back against what the rest of the world's nations and globalists among us, have done to us. Let the stock market, which is driven by Chi-com interests, and no longer American interests correct itself. It will hurt the IRS's dirty 401k program, but America will reindustrialize and re-establish a middle class, if we repent of our Nation sins.

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while holding that NASA position, yet he was never fired.

In 2011, Seven Apollo astronauts, along with two former NASA Johnson Space Center directors and several former senior management-level technical experts, lodged formal complaints to NASA Administrator Charles Bolden, Jr. regarding the dismal and embarrassing state of the agency's climate science programs.

An April 10 letter admonished the agency for its role in advocating a high degree of certainty that man-made CO2 is a major cause of climate change, while neglecting basic empirical evidence that called the theory into question.

The group also charged that NASA in general, and GISS in particular, had failed to make an objective assessment of all available scientific data on climate change, and was relying too heavily upon complex climate models that have proven to be scientifically inadequate for climate predictions.

It specifically asked that GISS, headed by Hansen, be required to "refrain from including unproven remarks in public releases and websites."

As Gavin Schmidt who succeeded Hansen as GISS director told the renowned journal Science in 2021, "It's become clear over the last year or so that we can't avoid this admission" that the models can't be trusted as a policy instrument because "You end up with numbers for even the near term that are insanely scary — and wrong."

So there, you have it.

If GISS candidly admits that it can't be trusted to predict the future of climate, much less any possible basis for believing humans can change any outcomes by switching from fossil energy to windmills and electric vehicles, why should NASA allow such irrelevant nonpredictions to influence future human expeditions to Mars and beyond?

Isn't it time to make America's once visionary and inspirational space program great again too?

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lot of buyer remorse in the world of EVs, and it could be about to get worse.

Or not, if you're the Canadian government and able to spend unlimited amounts of other people's money to avoid swallowing your swollen prickly pride and admitting error. And indeed, undaunted by its failure on EVs, unless you count getting a province into an industry it's not in with subsidies that produced nothing, the Canadian government is apparently dumping hundreds of millions, details to follow, into other magic beans as well, including "Canada partners with Heidelberg Materials to drive cement industry decarbonization", with a preliminary $49 million and up to a quarter billion or more if it fails slowly.

Art of the Tariff *cont. from page 1*

These measures are part of what the administration terms "reciprocal" tariffs, designed to mirror the tariffs that U.S. products face abroad. The goal is to encourage foreign nations to lower their trade barriers, thereby fostering fairer trade practices .

Bessent emphasized that these tariffs serve multiple purposes:

1. Negotiation Leverage: By imposing tariffs, the U.S. aims to bring trading partners to the negotiating table to establish more equitable trade agreements.

2. Revenue Generation: The tariffs are projected to generate substantial revenue, estimated between $300 billion and $600 billion annually.

3. Domestic Industry Protection: Higher tariffs on foreign goods are intended to make U.S. products more competitive, thereby boosting domestic manufacturing and job creation.

Current State of the Stock Market

The announcement and implementation of these tariffs have led to significant volatility in the stock market. The S&P 500 experienced a notable decline of nearly 14% since February 19, erasing approximately $10 trillion in market value. This downturn is largely attributed to investor concerns over potential inflation and slowed economic growth resulting from the tariffs.

Bessent addressed these concerns by emphasizing that the current stock market downturn—while significant—is not fundamentally linked to the administration's tariff policies or broader economic strategy. Instead, he pointed to external technological disruptions, particularly the recent performance and implications of China's DeepSeek artificial intelligence tool, as a major destabilizing factor in global equity markets. DeepSeek, a highly advanced open-source AI model developed in China, has rapidly gained traction among global developers and researchers, prompting concerns about the competitive edge of U.S. tech giants, especially in AI-driven sectors.

According to Bessent, the emergence of this new AI tool has contributed to a sharp devaluation of leading U.S. technology firms, particularly those in the so-called "Magnificent Seven"—a term used to describe the dominant mega-cap tech companies like Apple, Amazon, Nvidia, Microsoft, Meta, Tesla, and Alphabet. These firms have historically driven the bulk of gains in the S&P 500, and their stocks are sensitive to shifts in perception about future innovation leadership. As foreign AI offerings become more powerful and accessible, investor confidence in the future earnings and dominance of U.S. companies has been shaken, leading to a sharp pullback in their stock prices.

Bessent characterized the situation not as a systemic collapse in confidence in American economic fundamentals, but rather as a recalibration of tech stock valuations in light of heightened global competition in the AI race. He further argued that while the markets are reacting in the short term to these developments, the underlying strength of the broader U.S. economy remains intact, supported by resilient consumer spending, a robust labor market, and increased capital investment—particularly in sectors poised to benefit from the new tariff regime, such as manufacturing and industrial infrastructure.

He also took the opportunity to reassure investors and the public that this market correction is part of a necessary and healthy adjustment, and that the administration is closely monitoring financial conditions to ensure that volatility does not spiral into a broader economic contraction. Bessent noted that market turbulence can often accompany bold economic shifts, but the long-term benefits of fostering domestic industrial growth, fair trade, and technological independence far outweigh the short-term fluctuations.

In addition, Bessent addressed concerns about capital outflows and currency depreciation, acknowledging that the U.S. dollar has weakened by roughly 6% since President Trump took office. However, he maintained that this decline should not be viewed as a lack of confidence in U.S. economic leadership but rather as part of the global rebalancing of capital flows amid a new era of tariffs, investment redirection, and technological disruption. He reaffirmed the administration's commitment to a strong-dollar policy, noting that a stable currency is vital for maintaining purchasing power and global confidence in U.S. assets.

Ultimately, Bessent sought to shift the narrative from one of fear to one of strategic transformation, positioning the current challenges as growing pains in a larger effort to restructure the U.S. economy around domestic production, innovation, and fair trade. He concluded that the administration's economic agenda—including reciprocal tariffs and tax reforms—is designed to make the economy more resilient in the face of 21st-century global pressures, rather than being reactive to Wall Street volatility.

Despite the market's turbulence, Bessent expressed confidence in the long-term strength of the U.S. economy. He reiterated the administration's commitment to a strong-dollar policy, even though the dollar has weakened by about 6% since Trump took office. Bessent believes that the combination of tariff revenues and future tax cuts will stimulate economic growth and restore market stability.

Future Tax Cuts Due to Tariffs

A significant portion of the interview focused on how the substantial revenue generated from the tariffs could facilitate future tax cuts. Bessent outlined that the initial influx of tariff income could help finance potential tax cuts under consideration by Congress. He also emphasized that, over time, as tariffs are lowered, increased domestic revenue from expanded factory operations and new job-related income taxes would compensate for the reduced tariff income.

The proposed tax cuts aim to provide relief to middle- and working-class Americans, with measures including:

• Making Permanent the 2017 Tax Cuts: Ensuring that the tax reductions implemented during Trump's first term remain in effect.

• Eliminating Taxes on Tips, Social Security Benefits, and Overtime Pay: Reducing the tax burden on income sources that significantly impact average Americans .

Bessent argued that these tax cuts, coupled with the protective tariffs, would stimulate economic growth by increasing consumer spending power and encouraging domestic investment. He acknowledged concerns about potential inflation but suggested that the overall economic benefits would outweigh these risks.

The Trump Administration's economic strategy and new tariff policies are a brilliant stroke, reminiscent of Lincoln's Pacific Railway Plan, which stimulated manufacturing, or FDR's Bretton Woods Agreement which established the U.S. dollar as the global reserve currency, created the World Bank and International Monetary Fund (IMF), and aligned world economies with American leadership. It features reciprocal tariffs as a means to address trade imbalances, protect domestic industries, and generate substantial revenue. Bold moves like this harken back to Ronald Reagan's dramatic tax cuts and "Peace Through Strength" strategy in the 1980's. As they do today, soft critics warned of deficits, inflation, and potential conflict with the Soviet Union. Reagan stuck to his guns, believing in trickle-down economics and military deterrence. The economy rebounded, inflation cooled, and defense spending pressured the USSR, contributing to its eventual collapse. His actions reshaped global politics and the U.S. economy—though the full payoff took years. Like Trump's tariffs, Reagan's strategy bucked establishment orthodoxy and faced fierce opposition.

While acknowledging the immediate challenges posed by market volatility and potential inflation, Bessent expressed confidence that these measures would lead to long-term economic growth and facilitate significant tax cuts aimed at benefiting middle- and working-class Americans. The administration's approach reflects a commitment to reshaping the U.S. economic landscape through assertive trade policies and fiscal reforms. This is not just a trade policy—it's a test of our national backbone. And Trump's betting we'll find it.

Ivermectin and Fenbendazole: The Cancer Treatments Big Pharma Fears

From thetruthaboutcancer.com

Yet, despite this mounting evidence, these drugs remain on the sidelines, relegated to the realm of "alternative" treatments. Why? Because they're cheap, unpatentable, & don't require a big team.

The Cancer Cash Cow

Cancer—a word that strikes fear into the hearts of many—is not just a disease; it's a multi-billion-dollar industry. In 2023, global spending on cancer medicines reached $223 billion, marking a $25 billion increase from 2022. This expenditure is projected to grow significantly, potentially reaching $409 billion by 2028.

Let's talk about cancer treatments. You know, the ones that cost hundreds of thousands of dollars, make you vomit your guts out, lose your hair, and leave you so weak you can barely function. Chemotherapy and radiation are the gold standard, right? Well, what if we told you there are cheap, widely available, and far less toxic drugs that have shown remarkable promise in treating cancer—drugs like ivermectin and fenbendazole? But wait, you won't hear about these from your oncologist. Why? Because Big Pharma can't make billions off drugs that cost pennies, and Big Pharma owns medical education in the USA! That's why!

Let's dive into the science and the scandal of why these treatments are being ignored while the "cancer industrial complex" keeps pushing its toxic, profit-driven agenda.

Ivermectin: Not Just for Horses and Parasites

Ivermectin, the drug that became a household name during the COVID-19 pandemic (and was promptly demonized by the media, has been quietly making waves in cancer research. According to a study published in Frontiers in Pharmacology, ivermectin exhibits anti-cancer properties by targeting multiple pathways involved in tumor growth and survival. It inhibits the Wnt/β-catenin pathway, which is crucial for cancer cell proliferation, and induces apoptosis (programmed cell death) in cancer cells while sparing healthy ones.

A 2021 study in Anticancer Research found that ivermectin significantly reduced the viability of breast cancer cells and enhanced the efficacy of conventional chemotherapy drugs. Another study in The Moss Report highlighted its ability to disrupt cancer cell metabolism and inhibit angiogenesis (the formation of new blood vessels that feed tumors).

But hey, why use a cheap, well-tolerated drug when you can pump patients full of expensive, toxic chemo cocktails?

enbendazole and Mebendazole: Dewormers That Deworm Cancer

Fenbendazole and mebendazole are anti-parasitic drugs commonly used to treat worms in animals and humans. But guess what? They also have potent anti-cancer properties. A groundbreaking study published in PMC (PubMed Central) demonstrated that fenbendazole disrupts cancer cell metabolism by inhibiting glucose uptake and microtubule formation, effectively starving cancer cells to death.

The same study showed that fenbendazole, when combined with vitamin E and a high-fat diet, significantly reduced tumor growth in mice. Similarly, mebendazole has been shown to inhibit glioblastoma (brain cancer) by targeting cancer stem cells and disrupting their ability to proliferate.

But wait, there's more! A 2023 article in Natural News highlighted the synergistic pairing of ivermectin and fenbendazole, which together create a powerful anti-cancer protocol. This combination has been shown to enhance apoptosis, inhibit tumor growth, and even prevent metastasis.

Yet, despite this mounting evidence, these drugs remain on the sidelines, relegated to the realm of "alternative" treatments. Why? Because they're cheap, unpatentable, and don't require a team of

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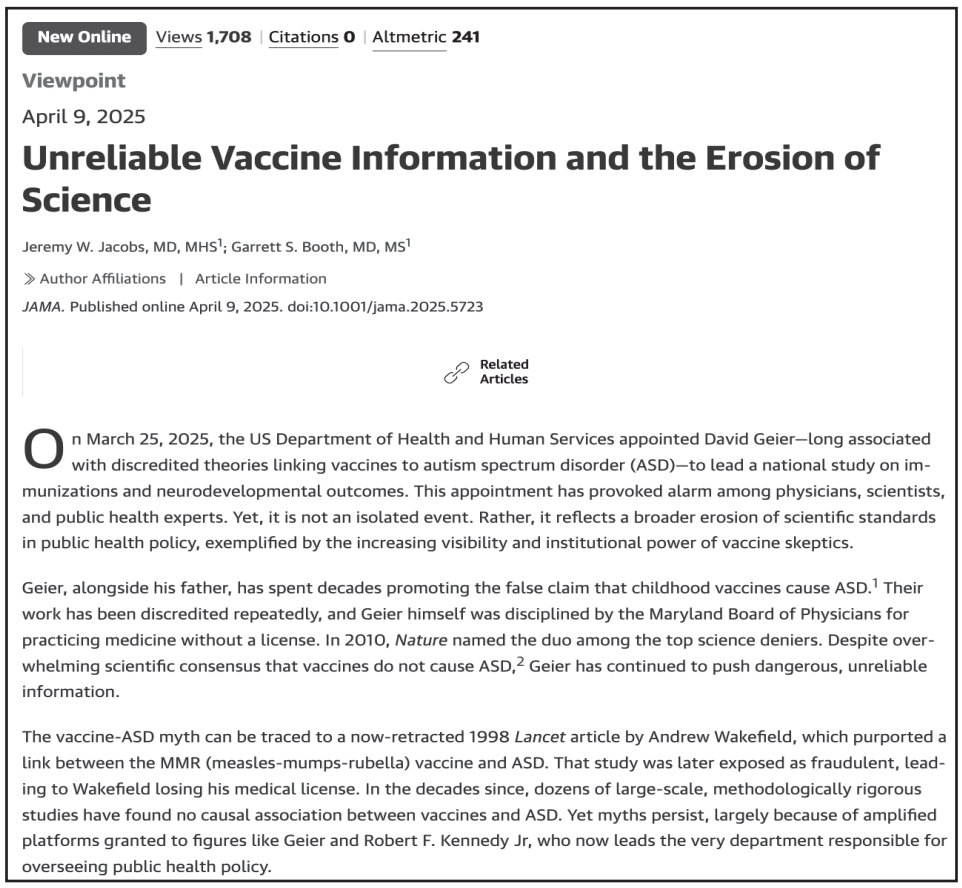
JAMA Hit Piece Signals Full-Blown Panic Over Vaccine-Autism Investigation

By Nicolas Hulscher, MPH

A new JAMA article by Vanderbilt doctors Jeremy Jacobs and Garrett Booth titled, Unreliable Vaccine Information and the Erosion of Science, slams David Geier's appointment to lead a national study on vaccines and neurodevelopment—claiming it marks a dangerous erosion of scientific standards. In reality, their piece reads more like a panicked defense of a crumbling false religion.



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Unreliable Vaccine Information and the Erosion of Science

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On March 25, 2025, the US Department of Health and Human Services appointed David Geier—long associated with discredited theories linking vaccines to autism spectrum disorder (ASD)—to lead a national study on immunizations and neurodevelopmental outcomes. This appointment has provoked alarm among physicians, scientists, and public health experts. Yet, it is not an isolated event. Rather, it reflects a broader erosion of scientific standards in public health policy, exemplified by the increasing visibility and institutional power of vaccine skeptics.

Geier, alongside his father, has spent decades promoting the false claim that childhood vaccines cause ASD.[1] Their work has been discredited repeatedly, and Geier himself was disciplined by the Maryland Board of Physicians for practicing medicine without a license. In 2010, *Nature* named the duo among the top science deniers. Despite overwhelming scientific consensus that vaccines do not cause ASD,[2] Geier has continued to push dangerous, unreliable information.

The vaccine-ASD myth can be traced to a now-retracted 1998 *Lancet* article by Andrew Wakefield, which purported a link between the MMR (measles-mumps-rubella) vaccine and ASD. That study was later exposed as fraudulent, leading to Wakefield losing his medical license. In the decades since, dozens of large-scale, methodologically rigorous studies have found no causal association between vaccines and ASD. Yet myths persist, largely because of amplified platforms granted to figures like Geier and Robert F. Kennedy Jr, who now leads the very department responsible for overseeing public health policy.

Here are some highlights from their article along with my response:

"This appointment has provoked alarm among physicians, scientists, and public health experts."

The so-called "alarm" is really panic from institutions that fear what a real, independent investigation might uncover. For the first time, the vaccine safety narrative isn't being fully controlled by Big Pharma and vaccine ideologues — they are nervous that their false religion of Vaccine Ideology is set to crumble:



"Geier, alongside his father, has spent decades promoting the false claim that childhood vaccines cause ASD."

The Geiers were among the first to actually listen to parents, explore biological mechanisms, and push for transparency. Discrediting them doesn't erase the growing number of peer-reviewed studies showing concerning signals between childhood vaccination and numerous neurodevelopmental disorders including autism:



"Figures like Geier and Robert F. Kennedy Jr... have played a key role in legitimizing fringe perspectives."

Calling independent voices "fringe" doesn't make them wrong. Also, suspecting a link between vaccines and autism is not "fringe." A 2024 survey by the Annenberg Public Policy Center (APPC) found that a majority of Americans don't fully dismiss the idea that vaccines can cause autism:

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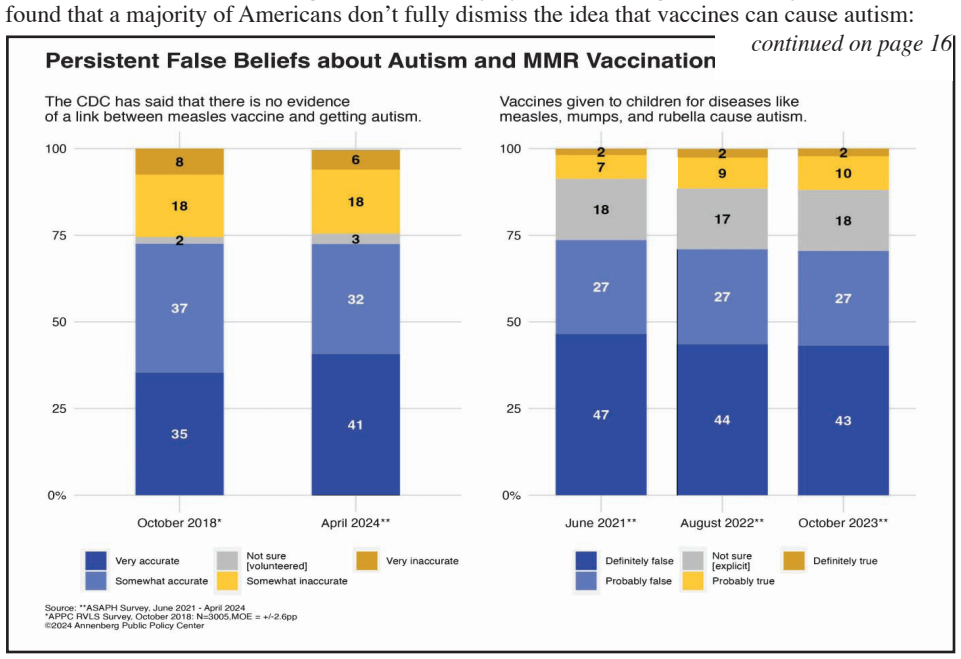

Grace Did Not Die in Vain

By Grace's dad

In the last two issues, I introduced my best buddy to the readers.

On October 13, 2021, Grace's life was cut short by medical "professionals. Grace was from the Town of Freedom. Since her death, God has opened up countless doors to help save others' lives. One of those doors is a four-week jury trial scheduled to begin on June 2, 2025, in Outagamie County.

God has also used Grace's death to wake me up. To what?

My journey into the process of waking up started when the Medical Examining Board did a sham investigation regarding the doctor euthanizing Grace with three contraindicated meds – Precedex, Lorazepam, and Morphine, along with putting an illegal Do Not Resuscitate order on her chart. Here's what they wrote on January 20, 2022:

The details of the complaint were reviewed and evaluated by a screening panel made up of members of the regulatory authority for the profession and/or a department attorney. Based on the review and evaluation of the complaint and other materials, a decision has been made that the information presented does not warrant further investigation.

Would it surprise you if you found out the Medical Examining Board was made up of 10 doctors and 3 public members appointed by the Governor? That their decisions have no appeal right?

Moving on, Covid was a wake-up call to those willing to hear: 1,200,000 American hospital murders in 39 months! The U.S. was #1 in the world in the hospital deaths category, with India (with 4X the population) a distance #2, with 533,000 deaths. How is this possible?

Long before Covid, even the CDC recognized that "medical malpractice" was the third leading cause of death – heart disease 700,000 + cancer 600,000 + medical malpractice 400,000 = 1.7 million annual deaths. Heart disease and cancer deaths are a result of the treatment! Chemotherapy has a 97.9% kill rate, for example. Historically, 61% of the annual 2.8 million deaths in America are from medical murder; 142,000 new medical murders every single month!

These statistics motivated me to do a deep dive and summarize over a thousand hours of research into the topic. By God's providence, we published a national news release announcing the research that medical murder is the number one cause of death in America: https://www.einpresswire.com/article/656546818/medical-murder-outpaces-heart-disease-and-cancer-becoming-america-s-1-cause-of-death. [embed link for online version if possible]

The seven-part series is posted at www.medicalmurder.net.

How do we prepare against a system designed to kill us? There are always two mistakes we can make, relative to preparation. First, failing to prepare; second, relying on our preparations – we rely on the finished work of Jesus Christ. When our government has become a serial killer, preparation should be obvious. Use your critical thinking. Of course, you want to understand advocacy and informed consent to combat medical murder, which is the lane I'm representing. More importantly, there's never been a more urgent time to share the Gospel and do an inventory of your own Biblical roots – so you can stand firm when the time comes. There's nothing to fear. As Grace would say, "God's got this dad." He is not sitting and panicking when Satan orchestrates these things. He warned us ahead of time (Revelation 18:23).

I'll be writing more about what I've learned, since Grace's death, in upcoming issues. That's the mission God has given me to help ensure Grace's death would be used to save others, as He said would happen in Genesis 50:20. Stay tuned.

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Brain Dead

"Then shall the dust return to the earth as it was: and the spirit shall return unto God who gave it." Ecclesiastes 12:7

By Riley J. Hood

Now when people act or behave in an unintelligent manner, it is tempting to label the irretrievably stupid person in question as "brain dead." But there is more to the brain death label than meets the eye. Brain death is a label for when a person who is traumatically injured is refused medical care, and in many cases even food and water, or nutrition and hydration.

Many people declared dead by neurological criteria (DNC) or "brain dead" still have a heart beating on its own, circulation, and respiration (exchange of oxygen and carbon dioxide in the tissues albeit on a ventilator). Other signs of life continue such as wound healing, urine production, temperature maintenance, and functioning organs and systems. A corpse, cadaver or dead body has none of these attributes.

Any law regarding the end of life, or the care of the injured should protect life until true death. A person's death is the cessation of his life on earth. The precise moment when the soul, the immaterial life force, permanently separates from the body is of paramount importance but that precise moment for this immaterial event is unknowable, hence only after the fact can criteria be used to verify that it has occurred. The right to live is the most basic right and no one ought to shorten life or hasten death, because that is murder. The state is obligated to protect the individual person's right to live as long as he is able. In a free Republic, the obligation is superior to any other interest, assuming innocence of a capital crime. That means that apnea tests and or excuses that declare DNC death are quality of life pretexts used by socialists to determine who will be treated. This is socialized medicine. (Note the socialist has a penchant for sparing the guilty and murdering the innocent.)

The Declaration of Independence states: "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness." Exodus 20:13 says, "Thou shalt not kill." No one should be declared dead unless respiratory and circulatory systems and the entire brain have ceased. Anything else is murder.

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governments are sufficient to give every student in the U.S. a scholarship to attend the school a parent believes is best for the student.

Unfortunately, most of our taxpayer dollars go to public schools, which are, on average, more expensive than private schools. If public schools want to stay in business, their motto should be "Let Them Compete for Students." The competition will foster much-needed creativity in the fossilized Teachers' Union-run schools.

The Number of Students: The Census estimates 53,591,620 K-12 students in the United States. The National Center for Education Statistics and the Council for American Private Education estimate that approximately 48.6 million students are in public schools. 4.7 million are in private schools, which are comprised of Catholic (53%), nonsectarian (14.8%), conservative Christian (12%), and other religious (19.3). Since all the numbers are estimates and school populations change yearly, the number of students does not add up as neatly as numbers on a corporate balance sheet. There is a slight discrepancy in the different estimates, so for ease of calculating, let's round off the number of U.S. students in K-12 education to 54 million nationwide.

Cost per student: The National Center for Education Statistics finds the average price per student in 2021-2022 in public education is $18,614, which includes teachers, capital expenditures, and interest payments. The total cost of public education in the U.S. is $927 billion. "The federal government provides 7.7% of funding, state governments provide 46.7%, and local governments provide 45.6%."The average cost per student across all of private education for its 4.7 million students is $13,232.00. The average for Catholic schools is $6,890; for other religious schools, $8,690; and nonsectarian private schools, $21,510. Using the averages, the total annual cost of private school education is a little over $62 billion.

Total Cost of K-12 Education: The total public cost of educating all publicly schooled K-12 students in the United States is $927 billion. The total cost of private K-12 education is $62 billion. The total cost to fund all K-12 education in the U.S. is $989 billion or $18,500 per student.

Total Taxpayer Funding for Education in the U.S. that Can Be Distributed as Scholarships to Students: Taxpayers currently provide $927 billion to public schools, which is 93% of the $989 billion spent on all public and private K-12 education in the U.S.

The U.S. spends more on education per student than 32 of the 36 OECD countries. Only Luxenberg, Austria, Norway, and the Republic of Korea spend more. Yet the U.S. ranks 38th in math worldwide, 24th in reading, and 24th in science. The American taxpayer is not getting value for the money spent on its public school system.

Students Will Use Taxpayer Scholarships More Wisely than Government Directives: Almost every indicator of educational satisfaction finds that private schools provide better-educated students, more satisfaction with teachers, happier parents, higher test scores, more advanced courses of study, and better and more manageable class sizes.

A Gallup poll found that "71 % of Americans say children educated in private schools receive an excellent or good education." Gallup also found that 69% believed that parochial or religious schools provided an excellent or good quality education. Only 41% believed public schools provided an excellent or good education.

Parents of private school students were substantially happier with the private school's performance than parents of public schools by significant margins. Private school parents had a substantially higher favorability rating for all aspects of school life than parents of public school students. Specifically, there is a 78% to 57% public vs private favorability for teachers, 78% to 55% for academic standards, 83% to 56% for school discipline, and 81% to 56% for overall school satisfaction.

Another benefit of private school education is that students are likelier to have higher SAT scores and attain college degrees. The national average SAT score for private schools is 1230; for public schools, it is 1020.

The United States is spending more than enough on education; it is not getting value from the public educational system. Addressing this issue is simple: Let the students and parents select the best school for the student, whether private, public, or trade. Students will determine their educational path by allowing students to control their futures rather than an authoritarian teacher's union, out-of-touch school boards, or federal regulation writer.

The statistics are clear: students can receive a better education at a private school than at a public school, which would be less costly to the American taxpayer. All that is needed is for the federal, state, and local government to bundle their school funding into a scholarship for each student to select the school of their choice. This action would allow the Trump administration to abolish the Department of Education and send the money it wastes to the states. Moreover, since schools would have to compete for students, every school must demonstrate value to attract students. Otherwise, it will be out of business. This could lead to significant cost savings for the American taxpayer, reassuring them of the value of educating every student.

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GOVERNMENT CIRCUS

HOT JACK

Goose Steps

Goose steps. No, not the pitter-patter of our feathery friends leaving piles of green poop on your sidewalk. I'm referring to History's high-stepping, jack-booted, brown-shirted thugs making a re-appearance at some yet undisclosed location in Wisconsin.

Yes, my friends the "Beerhall Putsch" has repeated itself somewhere in our state on an otherwise fine Sunday in April 2025.

So, what was it all about? Apparently, a power play designed to eliminate and silence political opposition to the money-grubbing, power-hungry SWAMP that is Madison.

After all, we can't have Honesty, Openness and Transparency going on in our government. How would corruption ever survive? How would the Establishment, the Leadership ever become rich(er)? If everything was done in the light of day, honest people would never stand for it. Maybe that's why we (they) have the opposition that we (they) do?

Sunday there was a "secret" meeting of the Republican Establishment Leadership. You know who they are. The purpose of the meeting was to come up with a way to destroy all opposition to their money-generating machine. Unfortunately for them, our spies, YOUR spies got word of this meeting out before all of the attendees even had it on their calendar. And word of the actual goings on will soon follow.

But for now, let me speculate. Can you imagine a short, skinny, poorly dressed politician with a Napoleon Complex sporting a 1-inch square black mustache, his eyeballs bulging out, pounding on a podium demanding action, any action, from his crowd of minions? What a sight to see.

If I only had the least bit of artistic talent, it would make a great MEME.

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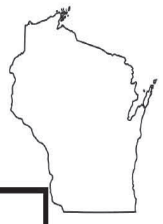

The Sacrificial GOAT

G.O.A.T. "Government Operations, Accountability and Transparency." The "new", do-nothing Assembly Committee created in December 2024 by Robbin' Vos as a smokescreen to fool all of the useful idiots, who voted for him and those even-more-useful idiots who vote along with him in the Assembly, is well on its way to completing its purpose of doing absolutely NOTHING. Mr. Vos has put into practice two of his Democratic Party Rules:

Rule #1 – When you need to blow vast amounts of smoke up someone's butt, create a committee, or, in some cases a "Blue Ribbon Committee".

Rule #2 – In order to claim truth and righteousness, just say that you did something and then claim credit for it. (Ala Barry Obama)

Since the original announcement of the GOAT being formed to mimic DOGE in December, what have they done? Have you seen glorious press conferences held by Vos to point out the $Billions that he saved YOU taxpayers by eliminating fraud and waste? The $Millions? 25-Cents? If you have seen something, please send it to me, because I haven't seen a damn thing. Nor do I ever expect to.

You see, politicians in their swamp-creature form have no interest in reducing spending, especially wasteful spending, in any form. (Wait until you see this year's budget.) They more that they spend, the more that they can lay off to their fat-cat friends (Unions and Energy Companies) and the more that can be siphoned back to them either via campaign contributions or in massive salaries or bonuses, once they flee from office and become "lobbyists" or "consultants".

And let's not forget our "friends" in the media. Where are all of the big "exclusive" reports on iHeart or "Whatever Robbin Needs" exclaiming either the accomplishments of GOAT, or actual, obvious purpose of its design and implementation? If we had a media that actually did its job of watching over YOUR government and keeping them Honest, Open and Transparent, perhaps I wouldn't have anything to write about.

What are the odds of that?

HOT JACK



Goose Steps II

The following comes from the RPW trying to explain the results of Sunday's secret meeting. Additional comments were made to help clarify their true meaning.

April 14th, 2025

".....We are pleased to inform you that the Republican Party of Wisconsin passed two new bylaws yesterday. These changes, driven by volunteers and local leaders (and who might that be?)*, aim to enhance transparency, accountability, and governance within our party structure.* (That would be a new twist.) *We have established these bylaws at the request of party activists and leaders.* (That's repetitive, but again, WHO?)

*The Republican Party of Wisconsin is committed to ensuring every grassroots activist and leader has the opportunity to be seen, heard, and listened to in any instance where concerns are brought forth. (That's RICH) These bylaws came recommended from other state parties (*What Parties? Democrat? CCP?) *and have been reviewed by legal counsel* (Josh Kaul?). *The bylaws ensure due process, through multiple steps, for both sides of a complaint.* (As long as it's the leadership process.)

The first bylaw amends Article VII to establish a formal process for the removal (There we go. It's like trying to hide ROFR.) *of leadership positions within County Parties, Congressional District Organizations, State Executive Committee positions, and RPW staff. This process allows the State Executive Committee to address violations of the Code of Conduct (Article VIII) when leadership actions undermine the party's mission of electing* (Approved) *Republicans to office. Removal proceedings can be initiated by a complaint signed by five State Executive Committee members or by 3 elected Republican officials, followed by a review from the Constitution Committee. If deemed valid, a hearing is held where the accused can present evidence; a 3/5 majority vote of the State Executive Committee is required for removal. In the event of removal, the vacant position will be addressed through options, including an election by the affected organization or a nomination by the State Party Chairperson, with the removed individual barred from holding elected party positions for at least four years.* (I can see how this addresses the needs of the Leadership, but how does it address the concerns of the activists?)

The second bylaw updates Article VIII to establish a Code of Conduct for leadership positions within the Republican Party of Wisconsin, its County Parties, and Congressional District Organizations, following other state parties across the nation. This code outlines expectations for leaders, including treating members, staff, and candidates with respect, supporting party-endorsed candidates, managing financial resources responsibly, maintaining confidentiality, and adhering to sub-entity governing documents. Prohibited actions include engaging in harassment, publicly defaming party officials or volunteers, undermining Republican candidates' post-primary, misusing party data or finances, using social media in conflict with the party mission, or pursuing personal agendas contrary to party goals. Violations of this code may trigger removal proceedings under Article VII. (Does this include hiring PACs to do the defaming of incumbent Republican candidates?)

These bylaws reflect the practical needs of our grassroots organizations (That's just a bunch of CRAP) *and reinforce the Republican Party of Wisconsin's commitment to* (Control) *providing effective avenues for* (Approved) *concerns to be managed and ensure due process for all members of our party* (Those who haven't been kicked out for not towing the line). *Effective governance, transparency* (Transparency? Then why wasn't this meeting open to the Grass Roots?)*, and integrity* (Too Late) *are critical to the success of our party and our goal of electing Republicans. For further details or to engage with the process, please contact state.chairman@wisgop.info.*

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-WisGOP





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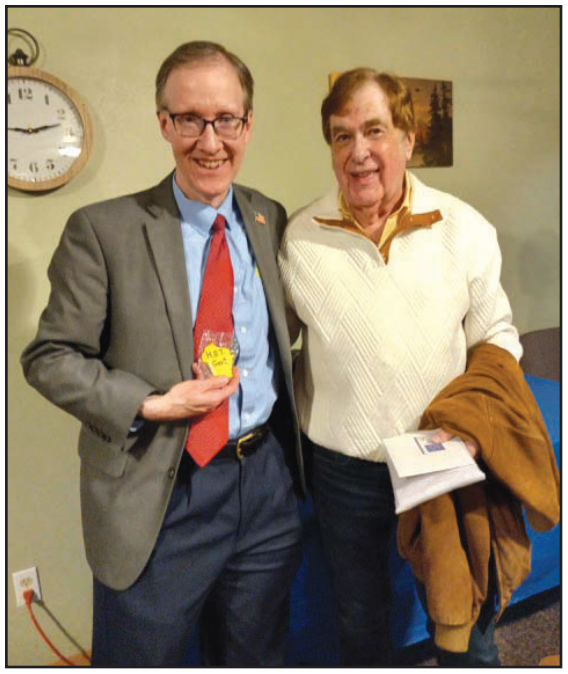
Prayer at the start of the 4/8/2025 Tom DeWeese event in West Bend, WI

By Bart Williams

Heavenly Father, your Son, Jesus, said to the apostle Thomas, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me."1 Lord, help us to keep our rigorous search for truth always top of mind and in our hearts and souls. The truth will set us free from temporal treachery, tyranny, and all the traps that take us further from You. Father, please bless this gathering of genuinely interested and concerned Americans who earnestly want to learn the objective truth about these alarming things going on in the world, the very real risks they pose to us and our faith, family, freedoms, and to our precious, fragile, and exceptional constitutional USA Republic. Please help us take the information shared here tonight and use it in Your name to take effective, successful action against these very dangerous threats and, in the process, promote all that we hold precious and dear. Help us to give gladly and generously of our time, talent, and treasure to support this just, urgent, and worthy cause. In Your name, God, we pray and ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen. ***1 John 14:6 (ESV)***



Bart Williams, Organizer of the Tom DeWeese presentation in West Bend, WI



Bart Williams and Tom DeWeese in West Bend.

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agenda piece by piece.

For several decades, federal agencies have been at the center of the attack, targeting private property ownership, community development, and energy use. Through the scare- mongering of the climate change myth, international building and plumbing codes were used to enforce the global agenda. Water sources, energy sources, and private property were targeted for control. Programs with names such as What Works Cities, Urban Growth Boundaries, and, of course, Sustainable Development have been the weapons to steadily move every state and every community to the exact destiny of top-down control, with state and local governments powerless to decide their own futures.

Now, as federal agencies such as HUD, EPA, and the Federal Department of Transportation are facing Trump's massive layoffs of agents and funding, the ability of the agencies to pressure local and state governments is greatly reduced. But the global forces knew this was coming. They knew Trump was going to win the election and cause them trouble at the federal level. So, they prepared for it.

That's why the World Economic Forum (WEF) met last October in San Francisco in a major gathering called the "Urban Transformation Summit." The goal was to prepare new tactics to keep the agenda of control moving forward at the local level. One of the main tools of choice is to push for more non-elected regional government.

Regional government is not a new tactic, but it doesn't have to be tied to federal policy. Regional government can be sold to the people as just local, local, local. The agenda can be forced into place as a local choice, helping it to appeal to more conservative advocates who might believe it's all about limited government.

Such a perception of regional government is absolutely untrue and MAGA advocates must fully understand what they are about to face and be prepared to stop it. Here is some history.

In the mid-1960s, author Jo Hindman wrote about Urban Renewal and metro-planning. In her book, Blame Metro, she said, "Much is written about the incognito warfare on United States soil which public officials and their accomplices are waging to wrest private property from landowners. The strategy is to make property ownership so unbearable by harassment through building inspections, remodeling orders, fines and jailings, that owners give up in despair and sell to land redevelopers at cut-rate prices. Positive municipal codes are the weapons in the warfare."

She wrote, "'Strengthening county government' is a hackneyed Regional phrase indicating that the Regional take-over has begun. . .. Planning assistance subsidized by Federal money leads small cities and counties into direct obedience under a regional master plan. Land use rights are literally stolen from landowners when zoning is applied to land." That fits perfectly for the forces looking for effective tactics to keep their agenda moving forward. Private property protection is a threat to control.

Hindman says, "The present-day (1960s) crew of planners, drawing no line between public and private property, believe that land-use control should be vested in government and that public planners should have sole right to control the use of all land."

Of course, one of the main NGO forces pushing the regional plans as it works in local communities is the American Planning Association (APA), which was formed in 1978 by combining the American Institute of Planners and the Society of Planning Officials. However, now, under the new situation, federal regulations and funding are in great doubt. Working in local communities may make some small progress, but they have an entire nation to conquer. How is that going to happen?

The plan is called "America 2050, New Strategies for Regional Economic Development."

America 2050 is a joint venture of NGOs called Regional Plan Association (RPA) and Lincoln Institute of Land Policy. The goal is to develop a balanced and sustainable growth strategy nationwide.

America 2050 is organized around the idea that 11 megaregions, home to three quarters of the nation's population, are the economic engines of the nation and the new competitive units in the global economy. …its focus is the development of a national growth strategy. Each megaregion focuses around at least one major metropolitan area. Of course there are the usual culprits, including New York City, Chicago, Boston, Richmond, and Los Angeles. There are also large areas such as the Great lakes Megaregion that extends into parts of Canada, and the Southern Rocky Mountain Megaregion covering large western areas between Colorado and Wyoming. In all, the major national populations will be covered.

And what does the RPA and its allies have planned for us with its local regionalism? Says RPA, "our professional researchers and regional planners seek to improve prosperity, sustainability, and quality of life through work in transportation, economic development, and real estate, environment and open space, and more.

Of course, all the usual plans based on climate change protection, such as the 15 Minute Cities with the stack and pack living conditions, eliminating the need for cars, and controlling energy use. RPA documents list the goals to be

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Last night's DeWeese event in De Pere, WI

By Joseph Bast

Friends,

I just posted the following comment on Facebook, under one of the many posts Diane (and Coalesce Marketing) placed there promoting the Tom DeWeese event in De Pere:

This event took place last night (Thursday, April 10) and was a big success! Tom DeWeese gave a terrific talk about how we need to "act local" to "stop the global agenda" to take away our property rights and God-given freedoms. The food was great and the venue … the Cedar Creek Event Center of De Pere .. was perfect.

Many thanks to the 70 or so people who attended, Renard's Catering for the great service, the eight table buyers, and everyone who helped set up and take down afterwards.

This event was the fourth of six events Tom DeWeese is doing in Wisconsin. He leaves from Minneapolis on Sunday. Special thanks to him for his energy, sense of humor, patience, and leadership of the freedom movement.

The freedom movement in Wisconsin is back, folks! Can you hear us now?

Many thanks for everyone who pitched in to make this event a success as well as the previous three and, I hope, the upcoming two or three.

Even though Diane and I are very tired, we plan to work hard today eating the left-over desserts and drinking the left-over wine. Someone has to do it…

God bless you all for everything you do, and looking forward to seeing you all again soon.

Joseph Bast

WI Patriots Toolbox, WCC, NEW Patriots, etc. etc.



Short Takes

By Ken Van Doren

It may be that the deep necessity of art is the examination of selfdeception.
-Robert Motherwell

The rose and the thorn, and sorrow and gladness are linked together.
-Saadi

The modern work of art, as I have said, is a symbol. -Herbert Read

The inner reality of love can be recognized only by love.
-Hans Urs von Balthasar

I can live without money, but I cannot live without love. -Judy Garland

If you know somethin' well, you can always paint it but people would be better off buyin' chickens.
-Grandma Moses

An original artist is unable to copy. So he has only to copy in order to be original. -Jean Cocteau

People often say that motivation doesn't last. Well, neither does bathing - that's why we recommend it daily.
-Zig Ziglar

We won't have a society if we destroy the environment. -Margaret Mead

Without deep reflection one knows from daily life that one exists for other people. -Albert Einstein

Daily, constantly, we choose by our desires, our thoughts, and our actions whether we want to be blessed or cursed, happy or miserable.
-Ezra Taft Benson

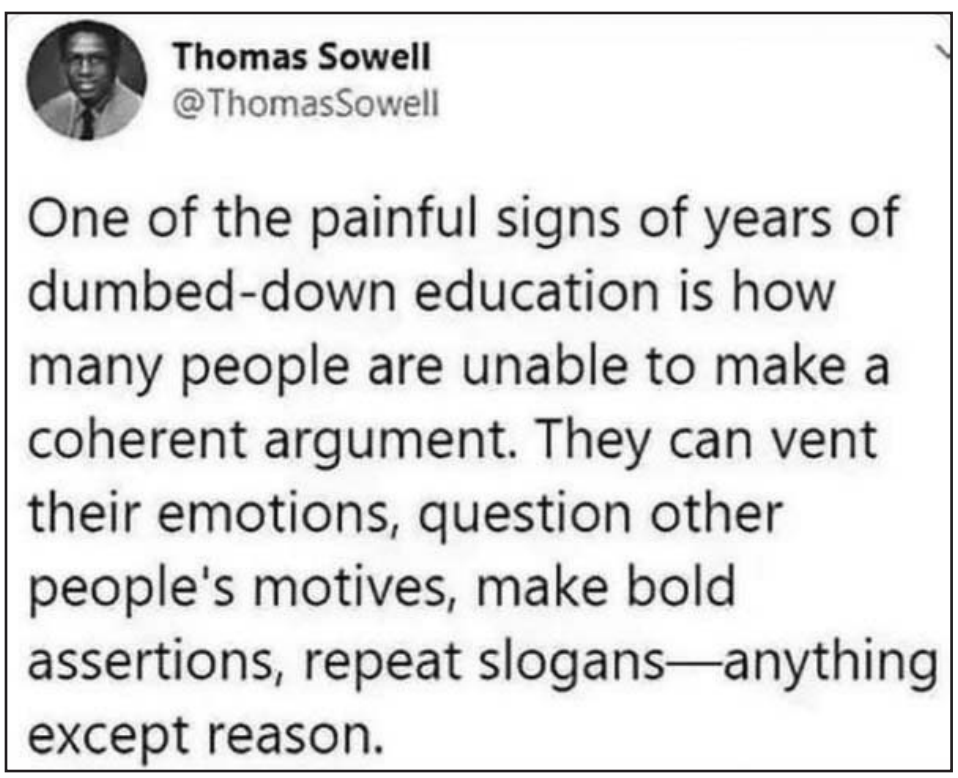
The amount of negativity I hear on a daily basis is unbelievable. But that's the kind of stuff you have to tune out, focus, stick with your vision and keep plugging every day. -Dana White

Peace is a daily, a weekly, a monthly process, gradually changing opinions, slowly eroding old barriers, quietly building new structures.
-John F. Kennedy

Dreams are the guiding words of the soul. Why should I henceforth not love my dreams and not make their riddling images into objects of my daily consideration? -Carl Jung

Wisdom to Live By

"It is better to keep your mouth closed and let people think you are a fool than to open it and remove all doubt." Mark Twain

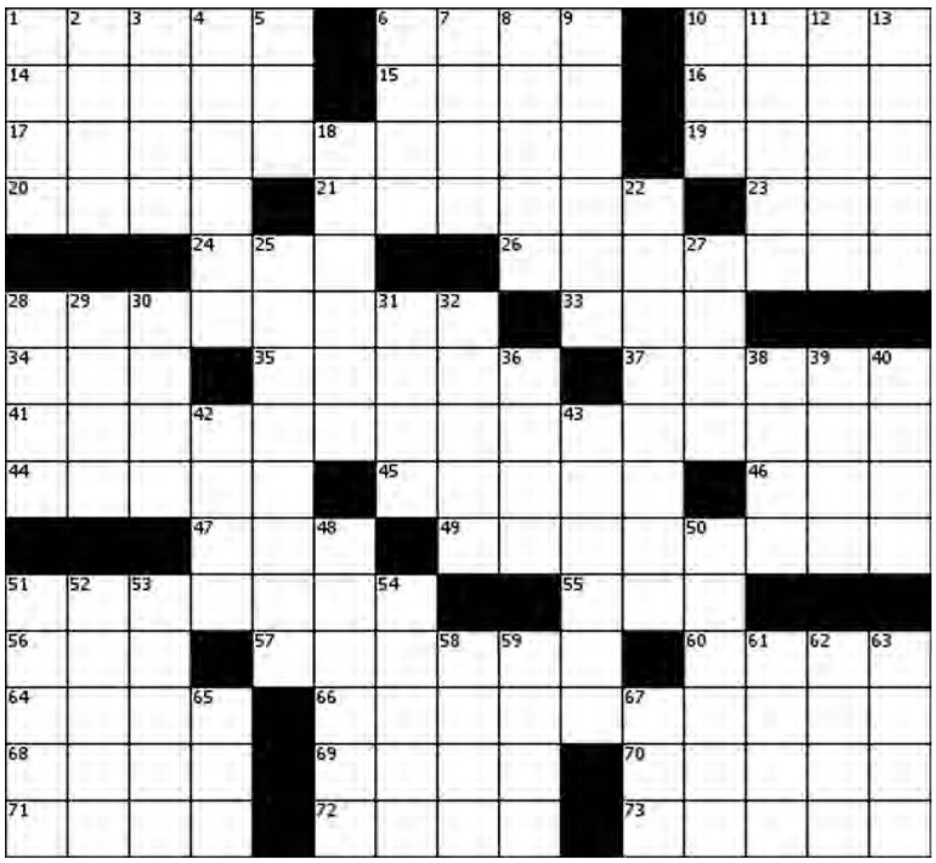


THE GAME PAGE

Crossword Puzzler

ACROSS
1. Some students, briefly
6. Bassoon relative
10. Snake's lack
14. Home with a dome
15. Graceful aquatic bird
16. Not so exciting
17. Raspberry
19. Mountain transport
20. 6-2, 3-6, 7-6, e.g.
21. Valiant
23. Certain colonist
24. One place to watch movies
26. Phillie hall-of-famer Mike ___
28. Flowering cacti
33. Boo follower
34. Roswell sighting
35. Creek transport
37. Perez of "Do the Right Thing"
41. Robinson and Reese, for two
44. Ice cream drinks
45. Ohio town
46. Bell and Barker
47. Confederate soldier, for short
49. Condiment source
51. "To reiterate ..."
55. Chinese Chairman
56. Tender beginner
57. Dreaded fly
60. Resistance units
64. Pizza maker
66. Corner piece
68. Stereo predecessor
69. Result after smog lifts in So. Cal.?
70. Painter Matisse
71. Make fresh coffee
72. Slithery fish
73. Beat by a hair

DOWN
1. Bro and sis
2. Gummi Bear's foe
3. It often has a twist
4. Fuji's island
5. White ball team
6. Will-wisp connection
7. Skittles partner
8. Black and white cookies
9. Add value to
10. Fall off
11. Suspect's explanation
12. Gathered leaves
13. Article of bedding
18. Sung by a group
22. Phylum humans belong to
25. Kind of driver
27. Synthesizer pioneer
28. Grinders
29. Place to park a pick
30. Saintly
31. Chalcedony with black and white bands
32. Acoustical measures
36. Ms. Krabappel (animated educator)
38. Interstate hauler
39. Today's Persia
40. In ___ (existing)
42. They can make waves
43. Some Texan VIPs
48. Lobster soup
50. Tied up in the harbor
51. Result of the Manhattan Project
52. Relish
53. Dancer Castle
54. It may be wild
58. Reveal
59. Word with South or Seven
61. ___ Kong
62. "Don't stop!"
63. Lose traction
65. Then partner
67. "Murder, ___ Wrote'



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4	2						1	3

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Obama Era *cont. from page 1*

a Tesla – save the planet" placards have been exchanged for "mostly peaceful" protests based on "Torch a Tesla – save our democracy" and infernos of toxic pollution and "carbon" emissions.

Even higher anxiety is battering climate activists from the lee Zeldin Environmental Protection Agency's review of EPA's 2009 "Endangerment Finding" (EF) – the foundation and justification for restrictive Obama and Biden Era standards and regulations on permissible electricity generation, automobiles, furnaces, home appliances and much more.

Humans and animals exhale carbon dioxide when they breathe, combustion processes also emit CO2, and during photosynthesis plants absorb CO2 and emit oxygen. More atmospheric CO2 helps plants grow better, faster and with less water. Nearly all life on Earth depends on this process. It's basic science.

That's why the Clean Air Act doesn't include carbon dioxide in its list of dangerous pollutants, along with carbon monoxide, lead, nitrogen dioxide, ground-level ozone, particulates and sulfur dioxide.

But fossil-fuel-hating activists blame CO2 for the alleged "climate crisis" – and in Massachusetts v. EPA the US Supreme Court said EPA could regulate CO2 emissions if the agency found that they "cause or contribute" to "air pollution" that may be "reasonably anticipated" to "endanger public health or welfare."

The Obama EPA quickly determined that they did and issued an Endangerment Finding that gave the agency effective control over America's energy, transportation, industries, furnaces and stoves– indeed, over almost every facet of our lives and living standards – to help "fundamentally transform" the nation.

In formulating its decision, EPA did no research of its own, relied heavily on GIGO computer models and outdated technical studies, dismissed the clear benefits of rising atmospheric CO2 levels, and ignored studies that didn't support its decision. EPA even told one of its own experts (who had offered evidence and analyses contradicting official claims) that "the administration has decided to move forward [on implementing the EF] and your comments do not help the legal or policy case for this decision."

That alone is a compelling reason for reversing the Endangerment Finding. But other realities also argue convincingly that EPA's 2009 action should be nullified.

First, Massachusetts v. EPA has been sidelined, rendered irrelevant or effectively reversed.

West Virginia v. EPA (2022) ruled that federal agencies may not violate the "major questions doctrine," which holds that, in the absence of clear congressional direction or authorization, agencies may not make decisions or issue regulations "of vast economic and political significance."

The Obama EPA had no clear congressional language or authorization to declare that carbon dioxide is a pollutant that would likely "endanger public health or welfare." The Supreme Court's minimal guidance in Massachusetts underscores the absence of congressional intent or direction. The process EPA used in rendering its predetermined finding demonstrates how little actual science played a role. And the enormous significance and impact of the EF decision and subsequent regulations can hardly be disputed.

Similarly, the SCOTUS 2024 ruling in Loper Bright v. Raimondo overturned the court's 1984 decision in Chevron v. NRDC and ended judicial deference to government agencies (the "Chevron doctrine"). Bureaucrats may no longer devise "reasonable interpretations" of unclear statutory language if those interpretations would significantly expand regulatory powers or inflate private sector costs.

These two decisions mean EPA had no authority to convert plant-fertilizing, life-giving carbon dioxide into a dangerous, health-threatening pollutant.

Second, reams of post-2009 studies and analyses show that CO2 is hugely beneficial to forests, grasslands and croplands – and that CO2 and other greenhouse gases (GHGs) have not replaced the powerful, complex, interconnected natural forces that have always driven global warming, climate change, ice ages, Little Ice Ages, and extreme weather events. EPA ignored this in 2009.

Others demonstrate that there is no climate crisis, nothing unprecedented in today's climate and weather, and nothing modern industrialized societies cannot cope with far more easily than our ancestors did.

See Climate Change Reconsidered II, CO2 Coalition studies, NOAA hurricane history, US tornado records, and studies the Trump EPA will undoubtedly consult during its EF reconsideration.)

Third, our energy, jobs, living standards, health, welfare, national security and much more depend on fossil fuels – for energy and for pharmaceuticals, plastics and thousands of other essential products that are manufactured using petrochemical feedstocks.

Fourth, China, India and other rapidly developing nations also depend on fossil fuels – and in fact are increasing their coal and petroleum use every year – to build their industries and economies and improve their people's health and living standards. They are not about stop doing so to appease those who insist the world faces a climate crisis. That means even eliminating coal, oil, gas and petrochemical use in the United States would have no effect on global GHG emissions.

Finally, the primary threats to human and planetary health and welfare come not from using fossil fuels – but from eliminating them, trying to switch to "clean, green, renewable" energy, and no longer having vital petrochemical products.

As Britain and Germany have shown, switching to intermittent, weather-dependent wind and solar energy with backup power raises electricity prices to 3-4 times what average Americans currently pay. Industries cannot compete internationally, millions lose their jobs, living expenses soar, and families cannot afford to heat their homes in winter or cool them in summertime.

Thousands die unnecessarily every year from heatstroke, hypothermia, and diseases they would survive if they weren't so hot, cold or malnourished.

In poor countries, millions die annually from indoor pollution from wood and dung fires, from spoiled food due to lack of refrigeration, from contaminated drinking water due to the absence of sanitation and treated water, and from diseases that would be cured in modern healthcare systems.

The common factor in all these deaths is the absence of reliable, affordable energy, largely imposed by climate-focused bureaucrats who finance only wind and solar projects in poor nations.

Wind and solar power, electric vehicle and grid-backup batteries, and associated transmission lines require metals and minerals mining and processing on unprecedented scales, power-generation facilities blanketing millions of acres of croplands and wildlife habitats, and the disposal of gigantic equipment that breaks or wears out quickly and cannot be recycled.

Reliance on wind, solar and battery power also means blackouts amid heatwaves and cold spells, cars stalled in snowstorms and hurricane evacuations – and thus still more deaths.

A slightly warmer planet with more atmospheric CO2 would be greatly beneficial for plants, wildlife and humanity. A colder planet with less carbon dioxide would significantly reduce arable croplands, growing seasons, wildlife habitats and our ability to feed humanity.

EPA's 2009 Endangerment Finding ignored virtually all these realities. EPA Administrator Lee Zeldin's reexamination of that decision must not repeat that mistake.

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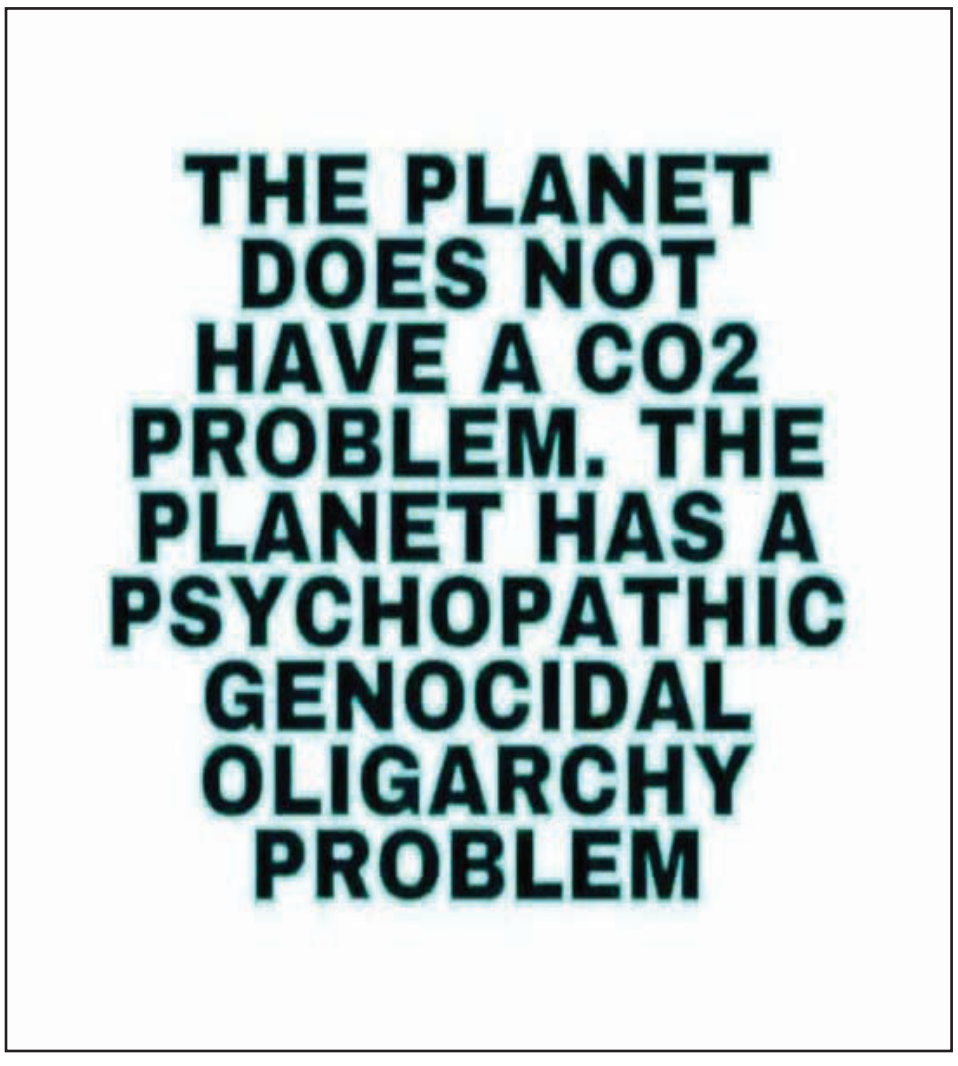

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EPA propaganda museum shut down

By Craig Rucker

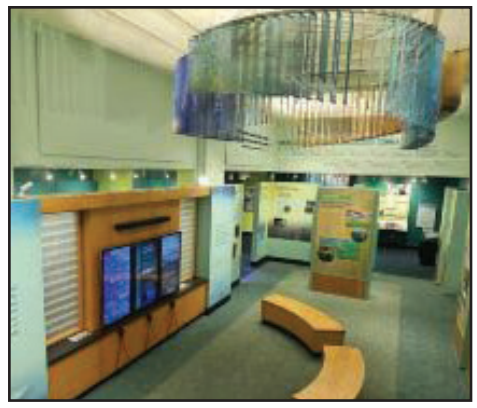
The Biden administration used taxpayer funds to create an ideologically-slanted EPA museum in Washington, D.C.

Check out this video at CFACT.org from EPA Administrator Lee Zeldin announcing that he is shutting the museum down.

"The EPA museum," Zeldin said, was "designed to tell an ideologically slanted, partial story" about how "EPA pursues its mission by advancing environmental justice, equity, and civil rights compliance."

"We are ending the practice of burning tax dollars on pet projects that do nothing to help this agency achieve our mission of protecting human health and the environment," Zeldin promised.

Climate Depot's Marc Morano sums it up perfectly, "The now-defunct EPA Museum evokes memories of an old East German government propaganda effort. Future generations will look back on this climate-obsessed era and marvel that a civilization ever took this climate crap seriously."



Left torching Teslas

By Craig Rucker

The Left is torching electric vehicles.

Can the news get any more bizarre?

That's right, the same folks who scolded that the world will "burn" unless the government forces every one of us to buy an EV or stop driving, are now torching the world's best EVs with Molotov cocktails.

"Wow, you guys like petty acts of domestic terrorism, huh?" asked bemused Daily Show host Jordan Klepper when his audience hooted, cheered and applauded a news clip reporting "multiple cases of possible arson targeting Teslas and cyber trucks."

Could it be that the anti-America, anti-capitalist Left's obsession with electric vehicles was never about saving the planet at all?

Tesla CEO Elon Musk, America's top entrepreneur, brought us reusable rockets, internet for all, amazing A.I., robots that actually work, and much more.

Elon just rescued Butch and Suni, two astronauts who were stranded on the I.S.S. for over nine months.

EVs were nowhere until Elon showed the world they could be amazingly innovative and incredibly cool. Tesla EVs may very soon be fully self-driving.

Making EVs cool was a tall achievement considering that EVs suffer from short range, long charging times, heavy weight, prohibitive expense, batteries that burn uncontrollably and require scarce rare earths that are too often mined under appalling circumstances.

Despite those challenges, Elon's Tesla is now mass producing electric vehicles that are solid choices for some. They are not the best choice for all. Elon's cool with that.

You'd think the Left would be erecting monuments to the man who made their EV dreams come true. Nothing could be further from the truth.

Protesters used a Tesla EV to carve "DON'T BUY A TESLA" onto a beach in Wales. They included an image of a man extending his arm out straight. This, despite the bizarre notion that Elon telling an audience that his heart goes out to them was somehow an authoritarian salute, has been massively debunked.

Tesla was removed from the Vancouver International Auto Show the day before it opened, reports The CBC. Organizers cited "safety" concerns. Tesla vehicles have also been removed from Vancouver's EV subsidy program. "Safety" is frequently the rationale employed to justify institutions retaliating against free speech and has been used to silence speakers on college campuses.

Minnesota Governor and former V.P. candidate Tim Walsh has been celebratingthe recent drop in Tesla's stock price. As if rooting against an important company that created 80,000 American jobs was not bad enough, Walz and the Left's cheering against Telsa requires shamelessly cherry picking their stock data. Tesla stock may be down from the high it achieved in January resulting from the "Trump bump," but remains up nearly 34% over the last year and 18,000% since it went public!

The Left cannot forgive Elon for bringing free speech to X/Twitter, endorsing President Trump, and now for applying his unmatched talent to rooting out waste and making government more efficient.

As Congressman Wesley Hunt put it, "Musk, Musk, Musk, Musk, Musk, Musk Musk. What's funny about it to me is, you're mad at the guy that found the fraud, but not mad at the people who wasted YOUR money."



Two new studies imply the Golden Eagle cannot survive more wind turbines

By Craig Rucker

The Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act specifically says that the Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) cannot issue more "take" (that is kill) permits than the population can survive. Two new studies together imply that the golden eagle wind-kill taking is at that limit or beyond.

Clearly FWS must stop issuing new wind turbine take permits until it rigorously assesses this situation. No new wind turbines should be erected. Some presently in operation may have to shut down. Fortunately, new eagle kill permits are presently on hold under the President's Executive Order, but we are also talking about the law.

The primary area of concern is the western range of the Golden Eagle. This runs from Montana, Idaho, and Washington down to the Mexico border. Note that the eagles often migrate north to spend the summer in Canada, so the more northern states see a lot more than their local winter populations.

However, the entire US population is only about 30,000 eagles, down from an estimated 80,000 in 1980, and they are found everywhere. Thus the entire country might be in need of care.

The first study is "Age-specific survival rates, causes of death, and allowable take of Golden Eagles in the western United States," Ecological Applications, January 2022 and it is here.

The primary point is to estimate the allowable take (death rate from human action) under the law and compare that to the present death rate. Their allowable take estimate is a range with a median of 2,227 deaths per year, while their estimated actual take is actually greater at 2,572 annual deaths.

These are very rough numbers, so the basic point is it looks like we are already at the allowable take. Adding a lot of eagle-killing wind turbines could put the Golden Eagle on the illegal road to extinction. Clearly, caution is called for.

The second study attempts to quantify the wind-killing threat. The study is "Estimated Golden Eagle mortality from wind turbines in the western United States," Biological Conservation, February 2025, here.

Their primary conclusion is this: "Anthropogenic mortality is the primary cause of death in adult Golden Eagles and recent trends indicate their population may be declining. If the current rate of growth of the wind energy industry continues, it could have conservation implications for Golden Eagle and other raptor populations."

They use a collision risk model that combines the spatial population density of the eagles with the spatial density of the spinning blades. This captures the fact that in addition to wind turbines getting more numerous, they are also getting much bigger.

As an aside, I proposed a roughly similar approach to quantifying the increasing risk to whales from offshore wind development. Here the wind projects force the whales into areas of greater ship traffic.

See my "The whale killing study the Feds are afraid to do" here.

Also "How to kill whales with offshore wind" here.

Neither of these eagle studies is definitive; far from it. In fact, some of their numbers disagree. The point is that the Fish and Wildlife Service must itself conduct a rigorous assessment of the allowable take for Golden Eagles and the potential impact of additional wind development on that take.

The Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act requires such an assessment because the FWS is prohibited from approving a cumulative take that exceeds the allowable limit. This takes us beyond the wind power executive order which also calls for an ecological assessment of wind power. It is the law.

The threat to Golden Eagles from wind is potentially enormous. Wind power generating capacity today is about 160,000 MW. The queue of new wind interconnection applications is around an incredible 230,000 additional MW. Much of that is within the western range of the eagle, and they are also found in every continental state.

The Fish and Wildlife Service simply must address this huge potential threat before any new take permits are issued to wind turbine facilities. Moreover, the assessment and underlying data must be made public under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA). This is clearly a NEPA action.

Landmark Analysis Finds COVID-19 Vaccine Myocarditis More Common and More Severe Than SARS-CoV-2 Infection Myocarditis

By Nicolas Hulscher, MPH

The McCullough Foundation study authored by M. Nathaniel Mead, Jessica Rose, William Makis, Kirk Milhoan, Nicolas Hulscher (myself), and Peter A. McCullough, was just published in the International Journal of Cardiovascular Research & Innovation: Myocarditis after SARS-CoV-2 infection and COVID-19 vaccination: Epidemiology, outcomes, and new perspectives

ABSTRACT

Myocarditis, typically manifesting as myopericarditis, is among the serious cardiac consequences observed over the course of the COVID-19 pandemic. We performed a comprehensive, evidence-based literature synthesis of findings from clinical trial data reanalyses, post-marketing surveillance, large observational studies, and other diverse research sources that help shed light on the phenomenon of myocarditis post SARS-CoV-2 infection versus COVID-19 vaccine-induced myocarditis. Our conclusions refute several claims previously made by public health agencies and professional associations, namely the following: (1) the Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) and Omicron infections have caused more cases of myocarditis than the COVID-19 mRNA immunizations; (2) mRNA vaccine-induced myocarditis is typically mild, transient, and rare, with no long-term sequelae; and (3) the risk-bene t calculus favors continued use of these products despite evidence of more iatrogenic cases. We address each of these misconceptions by applying a combination of epidemiological, clinical, and immunological perspectives. We urge governments to remove the COVID-19 mRNA products from the market due to the well-documented risk of myocardial damage, a risk that is strongest for younger males (<40 years old).

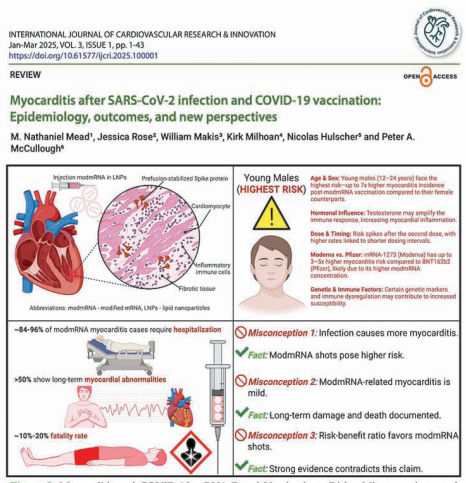


Figure 8. Myocarditis and COVID-19 mRNA-Based Vaccinations: Risks, Misconceptions, and Revelations. This figure illustrates the pathophysiology, risk factors, and misconceptions surrounding myocarditis following COVID-19 mRNA-based vaccinations. See text for details.

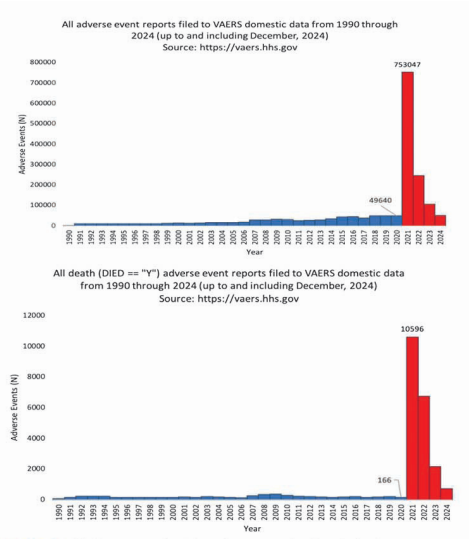


Figure 2. All AE reports in VAERS per year (top) and death reports per year (bottom). Blue bars represent all vaccines combined; red bars represent COVID-19 vaccines. The red bars represent only the reports in the context of the COVID-19 vaccines, whereas the blue bars represent all the reports for all vaccines combined. This surfeit of reporting is not simply because more shots were administered, as some have argued.

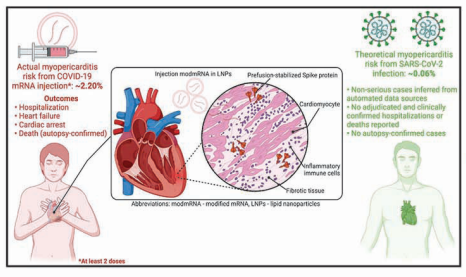
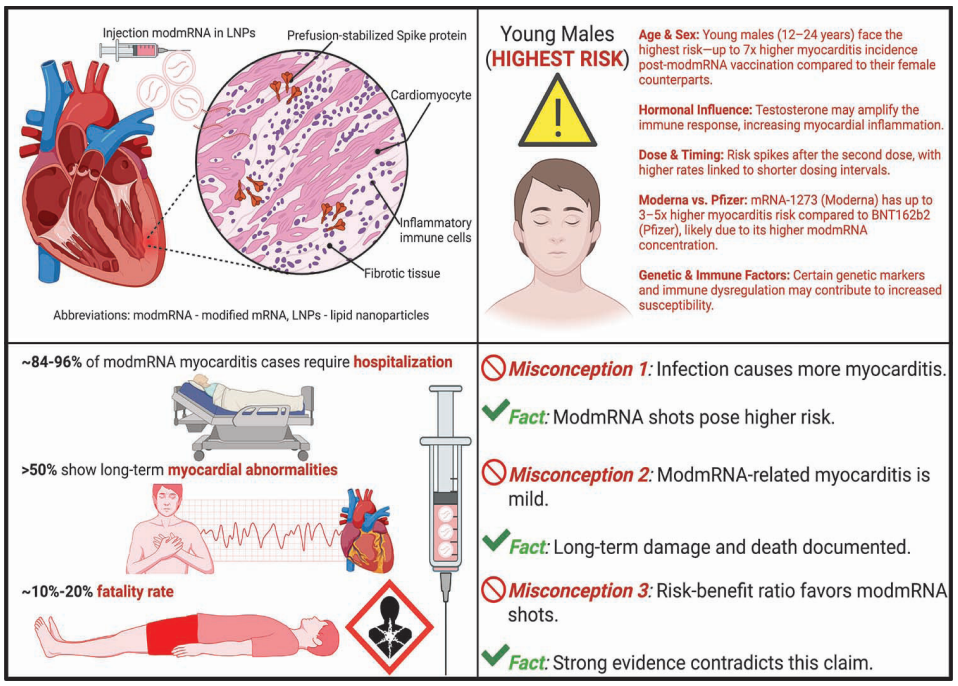


Figure 7. Prospective studies that use clinical testing to detect asymptomatic myocarditis cases provide the most reliable data for assessing myocarditis risk in adolescents, the group at highest risk. Based on this research, the actual risk of myocarditis in these younger mRNA-injected individuals (2.2%) significantly surpasses the theoretical risk of myocarditis in those infected by the wild-type SARS-CoV-2 (0.06%).

This landmark study, supported by 341 references, provides definitive evidence that COVID-19 vaccine-induced myocarditis is more common and more lethal than myocarditis caused by SARS-CoV-2 infection — decisively debunking key misconceptions promoted by public health authorities:



Misconception #1: Coronavirus Infections Cause More Myocarditis Than COVID-19 Vaccinations

Young men (<40) were 6× more likely to develop myocarditis after the second Moderna (mRNA-1273) dose than after SARS-CoV-2 infection (97 vs. 16 cases per million).

VAERS data show myocarditis reports were 223× higher following COVID-19 vaccination than the combined average for all other vaccines over the past 30 years, reflecting a 2500% increase.

From May 2021 to Nov 2024, 90% of case reports (241 out of 267) on PubMed identified mRNA vaccination—not SARS-CoV-2 infection—as the likely cause of myocarditis.

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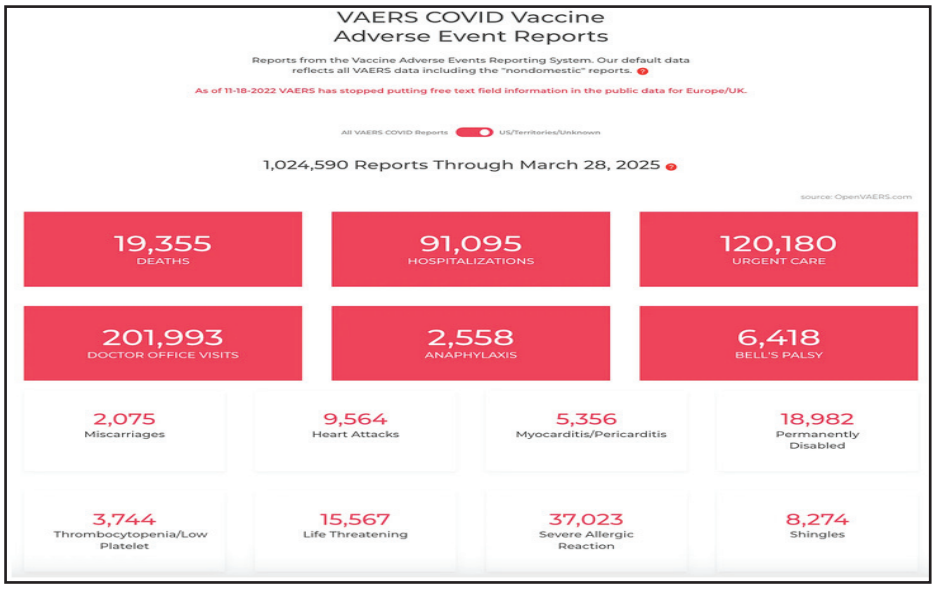
"Vaccine hesitancy is a persistent and dangerous public health challenge… exacerbated in recent years by politicized unreliable information."

Vaccine hesitancy didn't come from Facebook memes, it came from the millions of Americans that witnessed death, disability, and immense harm as a direct result of COVID-19 mRNA injections that were mandated on the population:



"Entrusting these efforts to individuals with well-documented ideological agendas undermines the legitimacy of the research from the outset."

The irony here is stunning, because that's exactly what's happened for decades: vaccine safety research led by people with obvious financial conflicts, revolving-door careers, and explicit ties to the Bio-Pharmaceutical Complex.

The more RFK Jr. and the new HHS uncover, the more the Bio-Pharmaceutical Complex and its vaccine ideologues will lash out as their belief system crumbles. They may eventually realize that it's OKAY to conduct proper safety testing on injectable products.

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What is the Bio-Pharmaceutical Complex?

A global syndicate of government agencies, public health authorities, military contractors, NGOs, and pharma giants—working together to manufacture biological threats, greenlight experimental countermeasures, and profit from global crises.



NEW STUDY - Flu Vaccination Linked to 27% Increased Risk of Flu

The CDC is planning to carry out a study on Major Cleveland Clinic study finds –26.9% effectiveness for influenza vaccine during the 2024–2025 respiratory viral season.

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Effectiveness of the Influenza Vaccine During the 2024-2025 Respiratory Viral Season

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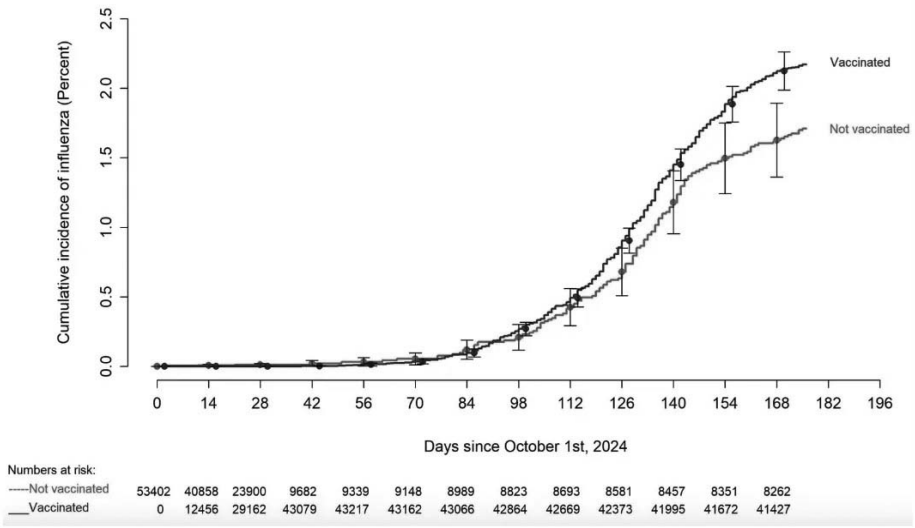
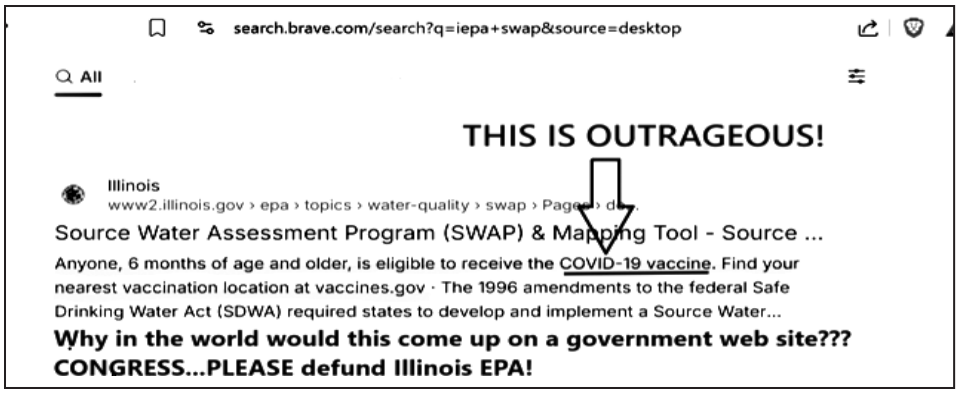


Figure 3. Simon-Makuch plot comparing the cumulative incidence of influenza for subjects stratified by vaccination status. Day zero was 1 October 2024, the day the influenza vaccine began to be offered to employees for the respiratory viral season. Point estimates and 95% confidence intervals are jittered along the x-axis to improve visibility.



BREAKING: 85-Million-Person Study Finds Increased Risks of Stroke, Heart Attack, Coronary Artery Disease, and Arrhythmia Following COVID-19 Vaccination

COVID-19 mRNA and viral vector injections linked to stroke (+240%), heart attack (+286%), coronary artery disease (+244%), and arrhythmia (+199%) in large-scale analysis.

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REVIEW ARTICLE

COVID-19 Vaccination and Cardiovascular Events: A Systematic Review and Bayesian Multivariate Meta-Analysis of Preventive Benefits and Risks

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Vaccine dose	Event		Total		Odds Ratio with 95% CrI
First	**vaccine**	**Control**	**Vaccine**	**Control**	
Arrythmia	921	1683	9991274	17120385	2.99 (1.20-7.44)
MI	27863	128993	70351319	77273410	1.24 (0.76-2.03)
CAD	149	190	1588185	1302141	1.01 (0.61-1.66)
Stroke	21048	105050	68157664	75432923	3.40 (1.98-5.86)
Second					
Arrythmia	661	1412	8788707	15929770	0.65 (0.33-1.29)
MI	5516	21364	8717912	15921383	3.86 (2.28-6.60)
CAD	103	129	1236341	939860	3.44 (1.99-5.98)
Stroke	5262	23275	7601210	15099823	1.35 (0.83-2.20)
Third					
MI	123	21616	103381	291839	0.003 (0.001-0.006)
Stroke	168	21106	103440	291839	0.19 (0.10-0.39)
Vaccine type					
BNT162b2					
Arrythmia	1525	1726	17325353	18060245	1.75 (0.79-3.85)
MI	17858	70880	45503649	47978447	1.87 (1.22-2.89)
CAD	251	318	2824526	2242001	1.64 (1.06-2.55)
Stroke	14698	65096	42193365	45316400	2.09 (1.36-3.21)
ChAdOx1					
Arrythmia	58	927	1509194	14876922	8.11 (3.67-17.99)
MI	14660	75860	33616701	45135030	1.11 (0.33-3.74)
Stroke	11025	62241	33616685	45135030	0.47 (0.19-1.95)
Others					
Arrythmia	55	884	42195	225976	0.96 (0.39-2.41)
MI	984	25232	52262	373155	1.73 (0.72-4.18)
Stroke	754	22094	52264	373155	0.50 (0.24-1.03)
Geographical location					
Asia					
Arrythmia	1416	1548	18714274	32654697	2.23 (0.99-4.97)
MI	1063	1541	18483555	32252642	0.27 (0.07-1.53)
CAD	251	318	2824526	2242001	1.60 (1.03-2.46)
Stroke	1303	1877	15173230	29590595	0.29 (0.05-1.83)
Europe					
Arrythmia	222	1989	162468	508446	1.36 (0.72-2.58)
MI	32439	170431	60689057	61233990	0.80 (0.54-1.20)
Stroke	25174	147554	60689084	61233990	1.33 (0.89-2.00)

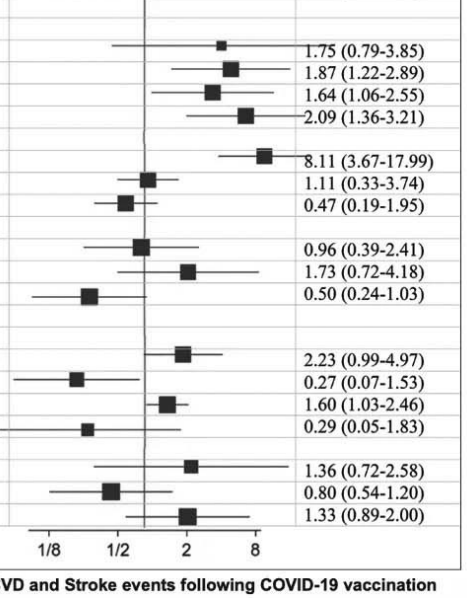

Figure 4: Subgroup analysis for arrhythmia, MI, CVD and Stroke events following COVID-19 vaccination

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specialists to administer.

The Big Pharma Playbook: Profits Over Patients

Let's get real for a moment. The cancer industry is a multi-billion-dollar behemoth. Why would Big Pharma want to promote a dewormer or an antiparasitic drug when they can charge $10,000 per dose for their patented chemo drugs?

The answer is simple: they wouldn't.

An article in the Financial Times highlighted the staggering costs associated with developing new cancer treatments, noting that the race for a cure has become a "$1 Trillion Industry." The article discusses how the focus on high-revenue treatments often leaves affordable alternatives in the shadows, regardless of their efficacy.

The suppression of ivermectin and fenbendazole as cancer treatments is a classic example of how profit motives trump patient care. These drugs are off-patent, meaning there's no financial incentive for pharmaceutical companies to fund large-scale clinical trials or promote their use. Instead, they pour millions into lobbying, marketing, and discrediting alternative treatments.

And let's not forget the role of regulatory agencies like the FDA, which Big Pharma heavily influences. Despite the growing body of evidence supporting the use of ivermectin and fenbendazole for cancer, these drugs remain off-label for oncology, leaving patients to navigate the murky waters of alternative medicine on their own.

The Human Cost of Ignoring Evidence

While Big Pharma counts its profits, real people are suffering. Chemotherapy and radiation are brutal, often leaving patients with lifelong side effects and no guarantee of a cure. Meanwhile, drugs like ivermectin and fenbendazole offer a gentler, more targeted approach to cancer treatment—one that could potentially save lives without destroying them in the process.

Consider the case of Joe Tippens, a stage 4 lung cancer patient who was given months to live. After stumbling upon fenbendazole, he decided to give it a try. Within months, his tumors had shrunk significantly, and he went into remission. His story, detailed on Cancer Choices, is just one of many anecdotal accounts of these drugs' potential.

Enter Robert F. Kennedy Jr., a vocal advocate for medical freedom and alternative treatments. Kennedy has pledged to prioritize funding and support for clinical trials on repurposed drugs like ivermectin and fenbendazole for cancer treatment. His commitment to breaking Big Pharma's stranglehold on healthcare could finally bring these promising therapies into the mainstream. With advocates like RFK Jr. pushing for transparency and innovation in medicine, there's hope that these trials could finally get the attention and funding they deserve.

The question is: will the medical establishment embrace this shift, or will they continue to protect their profits at the expense of patients?

The answer could determine the future of cancer treatment—and countless lives.

The Bottom Line: Follow the Money

The evidence is clear: ivermectin and fenbendazole have shown remarkable promise as cancer treatments. They're cheap, widely available, and far less toxic than conventional therapies. So why aren't they being embraced by the medical establishment?

The answer lies in the profit-driven nature of modern medicine. Until we dismantle the financial incentives that prioritize profits over patients, groundbreaking treatments like these will continue to be ignored. So, the next time someone tells you that chemotherapy is your only option, ask them why they're not talking about ivermectin or fenbendazole. And while you're at it, ask them who's really benefiting from your suffering.

In conclusion, the cancer treatment landscape is broken, and it's time to demand better. Ivermectin and fenbendazole represent a beacon of hope for patients—but only if we're willing to challenge the status quo and put people before profits.



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environmental systems, infrastructure systems, economic linkages, settlement and land use patterns.

Yep, the future of controlled megaregions promises all kinds of freedom of choice for the citizens! NOT! Incredibly, the RPA's own reports tell us that their "inspiration to address… an economic development strategy comes from the territorial cohesion program in the European Union…". We know where Europe now sits in the drive for individual freedom and limited government! Don't waste too much time looking for private property across Europe.

But that's not all RPA has planned for us as we sweat in our megaregions. According to their reports, RPA is focused to "hold ourselves accountable for progress in diversity, equity, and inclusion." That's right, they plan to keep the plan moving locally to prioritize diversity: "As a leading voice in regional planning, it is imperative that we guarantee our events and panels do not exhibit homogeneity and instead reflect the diversity that we see in our region and nation."

"At RPA, we have a commitment to promoting diversity, equity, and inclusion… For more than 100 years…RPA has developed and promoted the economic health, environmental resilience, and quality of life of the New York-New Jersey-Connecticut metropolitan area. Over the course of those years, white men have predominantly filled leadership roles… Furthermore, urban and regional planning have contributed to institutional or systemic racism within our cities, suburbs, and other communities across the nation. With this understanding of urban planning history and cognizance of the influence of RPA on the shaping of the region in the past 100 years, it is imperative that RPA commits to fostering a culture of diversity, equity, and inclusion in all aspects of our work"

Americans who are today fighting for the goal to reestablish our freedoms, and who are cheering the incredible steps President Trump is taking to limit the massive federal intrusion in our lives — please hear this warning. The forces of control never give up. We keep hearing the news media and Republican leadership report that these forces are finished, that they have no plan! No leadership.

That is absolutely untrue. They never quit. They have a plan with new tactics to enforce the same horrible future of control. To stop it we must be organized locally to pressure and assure that your councilmen and state legislators to say NO to these global pirates. We must change the debate. Free enterprise, private property protection, and local decisions by local citizens. Those are the roots of freedom!

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most of their opinions don't really matter.

And even if there were convincing evidence that the vast majority of scientists who do research the causes of climate change thought that there is a man-made climate emergency (there isn't), they are not really in a position to recommend how society should respond to such an issue. That would be a problem to be addressed by a range of experts in such fields as economics, health sciences, civil and energy engineering, emergency management, demographics, public policy development and perhaps even social psychology and political science.

The 50 to 1 project explored the costs of stopping climate change versus adapting to it, as and if it's required. They concluded that it's 50 times more expensive to try to STOP climate change than it is to simply ADAPT to it (as and if required). Climatedepot.com executive Director Marc Morano sums up the situation:

"Would you buy an insurance policy on your home that cost more than the house is worth and would pay out nothing if your house burned down. That's the snake oil they're selling us."

OK, so are there at least surveys that show that there is a consensus of scientists who study the causes of climate change who support the notion that we are causing a climate emergency? If there is, it could provide a foundation on which other experts could recommend how to respond.

NASA have a special page dedicated to revealing the supposed consensus about problematic climate change. But, despite citing numerous scientific organizations and surveys, it doesn't really address the question. Here are some of the organizational statements they cite.

Statement on Climate Change from 18 Scientific Associations:

"Observations throughout the world make it clear that climate change is occurring, and rigorous scientific research demonstrates that the greenhouse gases emitted by human activities are the primary driver." (2009)

Well, of course climate change is happening. The only constant about climate is change. It changes all the time. If it didn't, we would still be stuck in the last glacial period when the Laurentide Ice Sheet covered most of Canada and reached as far south as present-day Illinois, Ohio, and New York. Thank God there is climate change.

If it were true that "the greenhouse gases emitted by human activities are the primary driver," it still wouldn't make any difference since the primary driver of a small change, namely a 1.1-degree Celsius warming since 1880, is unimportant from a policy perspective.

American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS):

"Based on well-established evidence, about 97% of climate scientists have concluded that human-caused climate change is happening." (2014)

Well, duh, of course it is happening. Witness the urban heat island effect where it is warmer in cities than in the countryside. But, unless "human-caused climate change" is a serious problem, there are no policy implications of the AAAS statement.

American Chemical Society:

"The Earth's climate is changing in response to increasing concentrations of greenhouse gases (GHGs) and particulate matter in the atmosphere, largely as the result of human activities." (2016-2019)"

Again, so what? (for the reasons discussed above).

American Geophysical Union (AGU):

"Based on extensive scientific evidence, it is extremely likely that human activities, especially emissions of greenhouse gases, are the dominant cause of the observed warming since the mid-20th century. There is no alterative explanation supported by convincing evidence." (2019)

Even if that were true (it isn't), warming since the mid-20th century is very small, so again, there are no policy implications of this statement.

American Medical Association: I won't even quote them since medical doctors have no expertise in climate change causes. Regardless, their assertion is akin to the others above.

American Meteorological Society:

"Research has found a human influence on the climate of the past several decades ... The IPCC (2013), USGCRP (2017), and USGCRP (2018) indicate that it is extremely likely that human influence has been the dominant cause of the observed warming since the mid-twentieth century." (2019)"

Again, so what?

American Physical Society:

"Earth's changing climate is a critical issue and poses the risk of significant environmental, social and economic disruptions around the globe. While natural sources of climate variability are significant, multiple lines of evidence indicate that human influences have had an increasingly dominant effect on global climate warming observed since the mid-twentieth century." (2015)

That is a little better in that at least they are speaking about problematic climate change, but the statement is really self evident. Of course, "changing climate is a critical issue and poses the risk of significant environmental, social and economic disruptions." That has always been the case—witness how the Viking settlements in Greenland were wiped out by the return of cold conditions in the 14th century. Or the Ancestral Puebloans who were forced to abandon their settlements when the American Southwest faced a series of droughts between 1275 and 1300 CE.

The list of societies that failed because they didn't adapt successfully to climate change is extensive: The Akkadian Empire of 4,200 years ago collapsed due to a prolonged drought which led to widespread famine. The Mayan Civilization's cities declined around 900 CE when they faced severe droughts. The Khmer Empire in Southeast Asia also declined when they suffered from unpredictable monsoons and prolonged droughts between the 13th and 15th centuries.

The message of history is simple "adapt to climate change or die!"

And the messages NASA boosts from the Geological Society of America, the Joint Statement of International Academies, the U.S. National Academy of Sciences, the UN Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change and the U.S. Global Change Research Program are all essentially the same: human activities are the main cause of recent climate change. While many scientists who research the causes of climate change disagree (which will be the subject of part 2 in this series), so what?

In the final analysis, the reliance on consensus to determine what is real in science is simply a logical fallacy anyways. A show of hands, even from experts in the field, does not decide the validity of scientific hypotheses. The award-winning American author and filmmaker Dr. Michael Crichton put it well in his January 17, 2003 lecture presented at the California Institute of Technology:

"I regard consensus science as an extremely pernicious development that ought to be stopped cold in its tracks. Historically, the claim of consensus has been the first refuge of scoundrels; it is a way to avoid debate by claiming that the matter is already settled.

"Let's be clear: the work of science has nothing whatever to do with consensus. Consensus is the business of politics. Science, on the contrary, requires only one investigator who happens to be right, which means that he or she has results that are verifiable by reference to the real world… The greatest scientists in history are great precisely because they broke with the consensus.

"If it's consensus, it isn't science. If it's science, it isn't consensus. Period."

Dr. Christopher Essex, Emeritus Professor of Mathematics and Emeritus Professor of Physics at the University of Western Ontario in London, Ontario sums up how we should approach climate change:

"Stop being afraid. I think that is the single most important thing. Stop being afraid and start thinking."

And thinking leads us to ask, if our climate is so sensitive to humanity's emissions then why has the 50% rise in atmospheric carbon dioxide concentrations the past 140 years led to temperature changes too small to even be unnoticeable in a single human lifetime? If man-made climate change is causing increasing extreme weather records, then why were there no extreme weather records set on a state-wide basis in 2024, while in 1936, 27 records were set, records that still stand today? If polar bears are in such grave danger due to man-made, or any other kind of, climate change, then why are there five times as many bears now as there were in the mid-20th century? And why didn't the bears go extinct during the Holocene Optimum 8,000 - 5,000 years ago when studies have indicated that summer temperatures in parts of the Arctic were 2–3°C warmer than now?

Climate activists clearly regard a thinking and questioning public a Pandora's Box they must keep the lid firmly on. Which is precisely why we must not be intimidated by spurious claims of consensus. Think for ourselves and rip the lid off the box by asking the questions that reveal the climate change scare for what it really is—an unscientific hoax that is impoverishing the world for no benefit.

Wind farm 'charged households £100m to switch off turbines'

By Jonathan Leake

One of Britain's largest wind farms is facing an investigation into claims it overcharged customers to switch off its turbines.

Regulator Ofgem has launched an inquiry into the owner of Moray East, a wind farm with 100 turbines off Scotland's east coast.

Concerns have been raised over Ocean Winds potentially over-claiming cash from billpayers in the form of so-called constraint payments.

These are made when wind farms such as Moray East are told to switch off because the UK's creaking transmission grid cannot transport the excess power produced.

The payments, which are added to consumer bills, are meant to compensate solely for lost income.

However, Ofgem is investigating claims that Ocean Winds over-claimed millions of pounds on behalf of Moray East.

The investigation comes after the Renewable Energy Foundation (REF), a charity, previously alleged widespread overcharging by wind farm operators.

It passed on its findings to Ofgem, including calculations that Moray East was paid £100m in the two years to September 2023.

After announcing the investigation, the watchdog said: "There is a [general] risk that generators could exploit their position by charging Neso excessive prices to reduce their output.

"Since it began operating in the balancing mechanism in September 2021, Moray East Offshore wind farm has been regularly instructed by Neso to reduce its generation to manage transmission constraints.

"Its prices since then appear expensive relative to the expected cost of reducing generation. Our investigation will assess whether these prices were excessive during periods of constraint."

Moray East was developed by Spain-based Ocean Winds, with its investors including Japan's Mitsubishi Capital and Kansai Electric Power.

Ocean Winds is also the lead company in the adjacent Moray West wind farm. This is due to be operational next year and will generate electricity to power Amazon and Google's UK operations.

£4m a day

Meanwhile, the investigation has been confirmed after The Telegraph revealed last month that Britain is paying almost £180,000 an hour to switch off wind farms because there are insufficient cables to carry the excess power generated on windy days.

The payments amount to £4.3m per day, money which ultimately comes from energy bills.

John Constable, of REF, said overcharging for constraint payments was common across the wind industry and Ofgem should expand its investigation.

He said: "We estimate that, in the two years to 30 September 2023, Moray East was paid approximately £100m for constraining output.

"While Ofgem is to be commended for starting an investigation into Moray East offshore wind farm, it is disturbing that it has taken nearly two years for an investigation into this single wind farm to commence.

"Our data suggests that almost all of the 123 wind farms which have received constraint payments have been overcharging the consumer and that Ofgem needs to develop a more serious strategy for reclaiming these payments and returning them to the consumer very much more promptly."

Ocean Winds was contacted for comment. Renewable UK, the wind industry trade body, declined to comment.



Climate Crusade Crumbles As Public Skepticism Grows

By I&I Editorial Board

Our friend Steven Hayward, late of the great Power Line blog, university professor and incisive thinker, wrote a compelling essay last week about "The Nadir of the Climate Change Movement." [emphasis, links added]

If anyone should know about the state of global warming hysteria, it would be Hayward. Here's how he begins his argument:

The prevailing winds are blowing not toward more windmills but toward common sense on energy.

It is possible that the Trump administration is going to deal the death blows to the long-running climate change hysteria and government hostility to fossil fuels, not just in the United States but around the globe.

The Trump administration has moved well beyond merely supporting increased oil and natural gas production.

It has also launched steps to dismantle the foundations of anti-energy climate policy, in particular, a proposed reversal of the so-called 'endangerment finding' that gave the EPA jurisdiction to regulate greenhouse gases, which were never explicitly included in any of the various Clean Air Acts passed over the last 50 years.

Trump's EPA is also proposing to revise the EPA's flawed 'social cost of carbon' analysis, which is used to justify costly green energy schemes.

Is this the moment we've been looking for for nearly three decades? Is climate virtue signaling finally wearing out?

Are the activists who have blocked traffic, shut down international airports, vandalized priceless artworks, slashed tires, set fires, clashed with police, nagged, ranted, and harassed going to fade into the background, maybe even do something productive rather than destructive?

Is the litigation slowing? Are politicians looking for another grift instead? Will the media drop its constant harping and screeching? Can we expect some honesty from researchers?

Hayward doubts "the climatistas know what's about to hit them" as "the new Trump team" goes "straight at the heart of the entire climate change framework."

He points out the "economic flimflam" of the social cost of carbon and reminds us that "fossil fuels are responsible for launching" modern medicine, telecommunications, air and rail travel, and automobiles, innovations that are critical to the functioning of an advanced existence.

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other policies at federal, state and community levels.

One such national agency impacted by the cut is NASA, which is reportedly cancelling a $34 million, five-year contract with ICF, a consulting firm that coordinates the USGCRP's 14 federal agencies that write the National Climate Assessment reports.

Rather than confirm that the contract had been cut, an unnamed NASA spokesperson only said the agency was "streamlining its contract providing technical, analytical, and programmatic support" for USGCRP.

In essence, ICF functionally runs USGCRP, which has only two listed full-time staff, a National Director of the National Climate Assessment, Ariela Zycherman, and a Deputy Director for Services, Heidi Roop.

Both seemingly have biased political and climate science leanings.

According to campaign finance records, Zycherman last year contributed to the presidential campaigns of Joe Biden, and later, Kamala Harris, while Roop describes herself in an Instagram bio as a "climate scientist focused on preparing for a warmer world."

ICF reportedly supplies all other staff support, therefore having enormous influence on who the money is distributed to and how it is spent in preparing USGCRP's National Climate Assessment reports which have espoused a strongly alarmist climate change and anti-fossil energy narrative.

As noted by the Daily Wire, ICF is an incredibly partisan firm, with a website boasting about its "corporate citizenship," "culture and belonging," and "environmental justice."

Several blogs posted on its site discuss how to infuse "equity" into "climate discussions" and support EV mandates, and nearly all officials listed on the ICF Climate Team have contributed to Democratic candidates including Biden and Harris, with none to Republicans.

That leftward political leaning has apparently paid off.

An analysis of federal spending data found that ICF has raked in hundreds of millions of dollars each year through federal contracts, and took in over $2 billion during the Biden administration.

However, that partisanship didn't work out so well for its investors following November 2024's elections when ICF's stock immediately cratered from $171 per share to just $77, its lowest since the last time Trump was president.

Perhaps little wonder or coincidence then that the funding cuts to USGCRP and its anything-but-scientifically-objective National Climate Assessment reports come at a time when the Trump administration's EPA has launched an effort to reconsider the climate endangerment finding, the agency's determination affirming the scientific finding that greenhouse gases harm human health, and which serves as the basis of all U.S. greenhouse gas regulations.

This means that the next assessment edition isn't likely to move forward even if Congress requires that a new assessment be issued by 2027.

The most recent iteration published in 2023 and still prominently showcased on its government website warns that "severe climate risks to the United States will continue to grow."

The Daily Wire reports that "Trump administration officials have had the USGCRP and National Climate Assessment in the crosshairs for years, contending that its findings constrain the administration's efforts to slash environmental regulations."

White House Office Management and Budget Director Russ Vought has supported either scrapping USGCRP altogether, or balancing it with objective, non-alarmist voices for the next report due out in 2026 or 2027.

Vought, who also ran OMB during Trump's first term, has asked for authority to vet the scientists who will work on the next assessment report, arguing that the bureaucrats who write it end up with outsized power over government action.

Vought is additionally calling for an investigation of the political leanings of the contractors assembling it.

Not unexpectedly, Vought's recommendations to bring in scientists with diverse perspectives — the very basis of responsible science regarding the existence of a dire climate threat, or that switching from reliable and abundant fossil energy to anemic and intermittent windmills and sunbeams will therefore save the planet — have come under frantic fire from many claiming to be final authorities.

Celebrated poster boy for such resistance Michael Mann, inventor of the famously failed "hockey stick" graph previously promoted by the U.N. Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) indicating that global temperatures are skyrocketing, has stated that the goal of the Trump administration: "is to undermine any policies aimed at accelerating the transition from fossil fuels to renewable energy."

No one this writer knows doubts that temperatures in the Northern Hemisphere have recently been moderately warming.

These temperatures have variously warmed and cooled countless times for many reasons ever since our planet first had an atmosphere — but there's certainly no scientific

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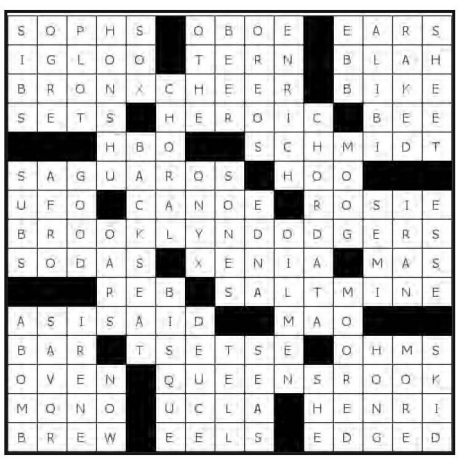
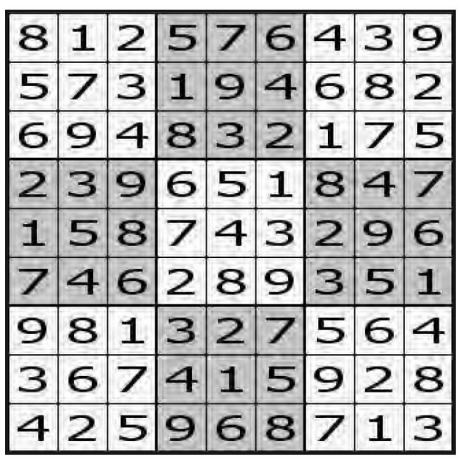
Puzzle Answers





Christendom versus Religious Freedom?

By Riley J. Hood

When I first became a Christian, I was in favor of religious freedom, and spurned the idea of Christendom. I associated Christendom with Roman Catholicism, and religious freedom with Evangelicalism. I was taught that Catholicism gave us the crusades, the inquisition, and the Nazi Party, and that if you favored God's Law ruling here in America, you were a "fundamentalist," no different than Muslims.

The crusades had many failings, like indulgences for sins, which is not the same as saying, go out and fight against Muslims, and nothing will happen to you, as has been falsely claimed, but it amounted to that. The crusades, were a counterattack, and they arrested the advance of Islam for 300 years. Instead of taking new ground, Islam was forced to recover the ground it had previously took. The Crusades began in 1095, and Islam didn't begin to advance again until the 1400's.

Roman Catholicism, namely the papacy became tyrannical. After the reformation, many Lutheran and a few Reformed Churches were established by States and cities. While many Baptists charge them with abuses, for the most part, they lapsed into a cold orthodoxy.

Liberals like to equate Christian rule with Islamic rule. It is like saying every house with a basement, (a foundation or fundament) is the same house. The fundamentals of Christianity are to love God and your neighbor. The fundament of Islam is to submit to Allah, and kill the infidel. So, in light of these and other questions, what does the scripture say?

The Bible says that proper worship and doctrine was revealed to statesmen. Moses is properly called the Legislator of the Jews by historians, even though it was God who gave the commandments to Moses. Furthermore, King David ordered the worship of the Lord, not only writing Psalms, but ordering the courses of Priests and Levites, they did not order themselves, even though it they and they alone that were to perform worship service, according to God's commandment handed down by Moses. The temple was built by King Solomon. Under their rule, the King held the power to enforce God's law. Nevertheless, abuses were hardwired into the Davidic dynasty, like polygamy. There were kings that "did that which was right in the sight of the Lord" and those that "did evil." I Kings, II Kings, and I and II Chronicles are the history of the monarchy that Jesus descended from.

Under Christendom, the law of God is the law. That is the goal, the domain of Christ. One can argue against the abuses of Christendom, especially the Inquisition, but people had a basic knowledge of God, even if severely limited by low literacy levels and other factors. Paganism, witchcraft, abortion, sodomy were driven underground, because such crimes were punished at law.

Religious freedom is by and largely accredited to Baptists. While Baptists like to assert that the Church is the "pillar and ground of the Truth," nowhere in the Bible does it say that the state and church were to be separated, completely, and nowhere does the Baptist notion that the State are God's ministers to uphold law contrary to God's word: not even in Romans Chapter 13: 1-7. The doctrine of religious freedom, so called, was a response to persecution, and Christian in fighting. It was the persecution of Baptists that motivated men like Patrick Henry to speak out in favor of religious freedom. Secularists, Deists and apostates used it to disestablish the Church. That was step one, and Church attendance immediately dropped, from over 90% down to 40% during revival and 10% of the population most of the time. The Church no longer was the "culture carrier" but the world was, but people had "religious freedom" to form utopian cults and escapist societies, as long as God's law was no longer in force.

Christendom represents the victory of God's Law over the heathen. Religious freedom is at best accommodation for the defeated. What are results? Most people that affirm "religious freedom" will stand up for the rights of a baker not to make gay wedding cakes, but won't make an effort to recriminalize homosexual acts. This crowd will stand up for the right of person to put up a pro-life billboard, but oppose banning abortions outright. Under the auspices of such people, the wicked always have their filthy way, and Christians beg for a personal exemption while God's commands are flouted.

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Infection-linked myocarditis estimates often relied on ICD-10 codes triggered by elevated cardiac troponins, which are non-specific markers and may result from other conditions (e.g., CAD, heart failure, or ICU-level stress).

Troponin elevations were common among ICU COVID-19 patients and frequently misclassified as myocarditis without confirmatory imaging or biopsy.

No histological confirmation (e.g., CMR or autopsy) is typically required for infection-linked myocarditis, while mRNA-associated cases are usually clinically confirmed.

The CARES Act created financial incentives (~$76,000 per case) for hospitals to classify patients as COVID-positive, which, when combined with PCR false positives and troponin tests, likely inflated infection-related myocarditis stats.

SARS-CoV-2 infection incidence is grossly undercounted due to asymptomatic or undocumented cases, leading to inflated myocarditis rates per infection (small denominator problem).

Misconception #2: COVID-19 Vaccine-Induced Myocarditis is Usually Mild and Transient

Prospective studies (Thailand, Switzerland) found 2.3%–2.8% of recipients had myocardial inflammation or injury post-mRNA dose—1 in 35 to 1 in 43, far exceeding passive surveillance estimates.

In the Swiss cohort, 2.8% showed subclinical myocardial injury after a Moderna booster; median age was 46, and half were asymptomatic, meaning these cases would escape detection in VAERS or EHR-based studies.

CDC-confirmed cases (VAERS, Dec 2020–June 2021): 96% of patients were hospitalized for myocarditis following mRNA vaccination.

Autopsy-confirmed myocarditis was responsible for 7.1% of vaccine-attributed deaths, with most deaths occurring within a week of vaccination.

More than 50% of myocarditis cases show long-term myocardial abnormalities on follow-up cardiac MRI, including late gadolinium enhancement (LGE), which is associated with risk of arrhythmia or heart failure.

Estimated fatality rate for vaccine-induced myocarditis may range between 10–20%—much higher than often reported.

Misconception #3: Risk-Benefit Analyses Favor the COVID-19 mRNA "Vaccines"

Direct cardiotoxicity of mRNA vaccines was observed in animal models (cardiomyocyte dysfunction within 48 hours). No such effect has been demonstrated with SARS-CoV-2 infection.

Vaccine-induced myocarditis often presents with acute symptoms, arrhythmias, and heart failure, requiring hospitalization. Despite hospitalization, some cases result in death. Even mild cases may cause lifelong increased risk of heart failure and sudden cardiac arrest due to residual inflammation or scarring.

Myopericarditis risk is higher in young males aged 12–24 after two doses of Moderna (mRNA-1273), requiring age-stratified analysis to avoid masking high-risk subgroups.

Fraiman et al.'s reanalysis of registrational trial data revealed 1 serious adverse event for every 800 vaccine recipients, compared to 1–2 per million for traditional vaccines—a massive safety signal not properly weighed by regulators

The OpenSAFELY study (n=58 million) found no cases of myocarditis in SARS-CoV-2-infected children, while myocarditis occurred exclusively in vaccinated adolescents.

In the Patone et al. dataset, 16 myocarditis events occurred after vaccination in 13–17-year-olds and zero following SARS-CoV-2 infection. The study failed to analyze "day-zero" events post-vaccination and misclassified early post-dose cases as "unvaccinated," distorting results in favor of the vaccine.

The authors highlight that infection-linked myocarditis is rare and often misdiagnosed, while vaccine-induced cases are confirmed clinically and pathologically, including via autopsy findings.

Note: The points above are not exhaustive. We encourage readers to consult the full study for the complete spectrum of evidence.

This analysis confirms that the risks of COVID-19 modified mRNA injections far outweigh any theoretical benefits, and it calls for the immediate market withdrawal of these cardiotoxic products in the interest of public health and safety.

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The Ten Commandments

"And, behold, one came and said unto him, Good Master, what good thing shall I do, that I may have eternal life? And he said unto him, Why callest thou me good? there is none good but one, that is, God: but if thou wilt enter into life, keep the commandments.

He saith unto him, Which? Jesus said, Thou shalt do no murder, Thou shalt not commit adultery, Thou shalt not steal, Thou shalt not bear false witness, Honour thy father and thy mother: and, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself." Matthew 19:16-19

By Riley J. Hood

In early December, 2024, I received the following letter in my email account: "Despite court rulings in Louisiana and Oklahoma that make the teaching of the Bible and the 10 Commandments mandatory in public schools and universities, we still live in a time when the foundational teachings of the Ten Commandments are no longer emphasized in our public schools and daily lives. As a result, our children are growing up without these essential, God-honoring rules for living." I agree with this assertion.

They are referred to throughout the Bible, including by Our Lord Jesus Christ. The Ten Commandments are found in Exodus 20:17 and Deuteronomy 5:1-22. In Exodus, it is an account of what God said and wrote on Mount Sinai. Verse 1 states, "And God spake all these words saying," so it is a direct quotation of God speaking. In Deuteronomy 5:1-22, it is an account of Moses recalling the events of Exodus 20, forty years later. The two Biblical texts the differ slightly. There are different groupings and readings among various Church groups. Roman Catholics do not teach Commandment 2 in their displays and the divide the Tenth Commandment into 9. "Thou shalt covet they neighbor's wife" and 10. "Thou shalt not covet the neighbor's goods."

Exodus 20:1-17 reads, "And God spake all these words, saying, I am the Lord thy God, which have brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage. Thou shalt have no other gods before me. Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the Lord thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me; And shewing mercy unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments. Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain; for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain. Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days shalt thou labour, and do all thy work: But the seventh day is the sabbath of the Lord thy God: in it thou shalt not do any work, thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, thy manservant, nor thy maidservant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that is within thy gates: For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them is, and rested the seventh day: wherefore the Lord blessed the sabbath day, and hallowed it. Honour thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee. Thou shalt not kill. Thou shalt not commit adultery. Thou shalt not steal. Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbour. Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor any thing that is thy neighbour's."

Deuteronomy 5:1-22 reads, "And Moses called all Israel, and said unto them, Hear, O Israel, the statutes and judgments which I speak in your ears this day, that ye may learn them, and keep, and do them. The Lord our God made a covenant with us in Horeb. The Lord made not this covenant with our fathers, but with us, even us, who are all of us here alive this day. The Lord talked with you face to face in the mount out of the midst of the fire, (I stood between the Lord and you at that time, to shew you the word of the Lord: for ye were afraid by reason of the fire, and went not up into the mount;) saying, I am the Lord thy God, which brought thee out of the land of Egypt, from the house of bondage. Thou shalt have none other gods before me. Thou shalt not make thee any graven image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the waters beneath the earth: Thou shalt not bow down thyself unto them, nor serve them: for I the Lord thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me, And shewing mercy unto thousands of them that love me and keep my commandments. Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain: for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain. Keep the sabbath day to sanctify it, as the Lord thy God hath commanded thee. Six days thou shalt labour, and do all thy work: But the seventh day is the sabbath of the Lord thy God: in it thou shalt not do any work, thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, nor thy manservant, nor thy maidservant, nor thine ox, nor thine ass, nor any of thy cattle, nor thy stranger that is within thy gates; that thy manservant and thy maidservant may rest as well as thou. And remember that thou wast a servant in the land of Egypt, and that the Lord thy God brought thee out thence through a mighty hand and by a stretched-out arm: therefore, the Lord thy God commanded thee to keep the sabbath day. Honour thy father and thy mother, as the Lord thy God hath commanded thee; that thy days may be prolonged, and that it may go well with thee, in the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee. Thou shalt not kill. Neither shalt thou commit adultery. Neither shalt thou steal. Neither shalt thou bear false witness against thy neighbour. Neither shalt

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Patriot News

Patriot Events and Activities

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consensus that there is any crisis.

A "World Climate Declaration" made public by the non-profit scientific Global Climate Intelligence Group (CLINTEL) in August, 2023 endorsed by 1,609 well-informed scientists and professionals — including two Nobel Laureates, John Clauser (USA) and Ivar Giaever (Norway/USA) — clearly says otherwise.

The declaration states that there is no emergency, that scientists should openly address uncertainties and exaggerations in their predictions of global warming and politicians should count real policy costs as well as imagined benefits of their proposals.

Care to guess how many of those scientists have been given government taxpayer handouts from ICF to write those National Climate Assessment reports that influence energy policy guidelines?

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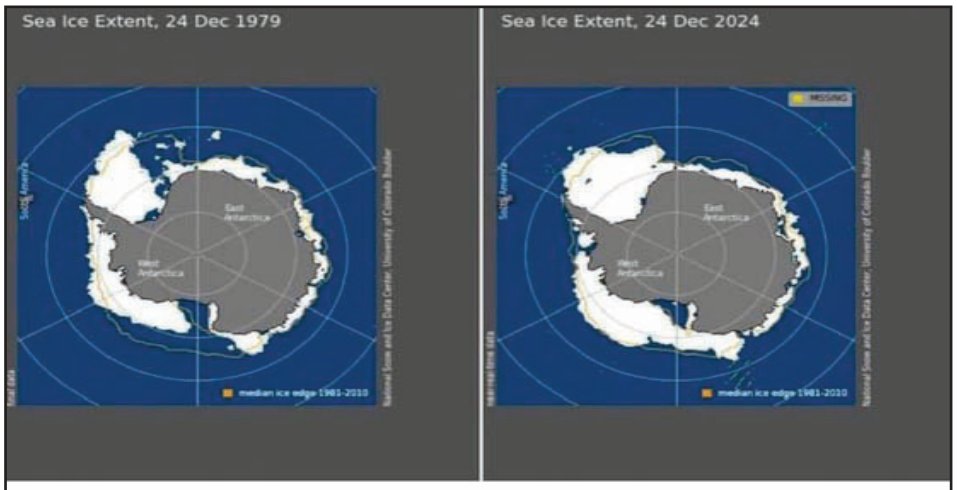

Antarctic sea ice extent is 17% higher today than it was in 1979. Ice doesn't lie, but climate scientists do.

HOT JACK — 11 Million Tons

I apologize in advance for my ranting. But here I go.

Are people A) Stupid, B) Indoctrinated, C) Lazy, or D) All of the Above?

I recently read this headline: 'There may be 11 Million Tons of Plastic on the Ocean Floor'. I am a scientist by training and stuff like this drives me nuts. My first question is how did the plastic get there? Do the mega-cities like New York ALL RUN BY "greenie" Democrats, who have degrees in things like basket weaving, journalism, education and social justice, load all of their city's trash onto barges, tow them out into the ocean and dump it? Are they still doing this?

Who knows? You sure as hell don't read about it in the Journal-Sentinel.

Second question. If you are a nature denier, one who thinks that man has control over nature, why do you care? Isn't your goal (at least at the moment) to reduce carbon emissions and "stop climate change"? Wouldn't taking that carbon, locking it up in poly-methyl methacrylate (plastic water bottles for those of you with degrees in basket weaving) and sending it to the bottom of the ocean rather than recycle it back into the atmosphere from where it came, "save the planet"?

Third question. Is the whole "Global Cooling" changed to "Global Warming" changed to "Climate Change" a real thing? If it's not a bunch of B.S., why do these over-educated, indoctrinated morons keep changing the name? Could it be that they are following in the steps of Bill Clinton with the "How Can We Fool Them Today?" approach?

So, Jack, what's your point? My point is that "Climate Change" along with every other point of indoctrination being crammed down your throat by the liberals, is a bunch of crap carefully designed to put power and money in the hands of a few. My goal is to open your mind to the fact that Government is your opponent, not your friend. My hope is that you will realize what is in the best interest of the People of this nation and pass that on. We're back to "Critical Mass."

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SBA Fights Planned Parenthood

"But the midwives feared God, and did not as the king of Egypt commanded them, but saved the men children alive." Exodus 1:17

By Riley J. Hood

When I first heard from this group, they sounded like most GOP controlled groups, complete with watered-down terms, and watered-down goals. But since 2024, a change has taken place. Now the emails read like this, "Last week we alerted you of the Planned Parenthood in Minnesota that was accused of coercing women into getting abortions they didn't want," and "according to a lawsuit, a Louisiana mother colluded with an abortion doctor in New York to get dangerous abortion drugs through the mail and end the life of her daughter's wanted unborn child. It is time we put the abortion industry out of business. SBA Pro-Life America is taking the fight to Planned Parenthood and the abortion industry."

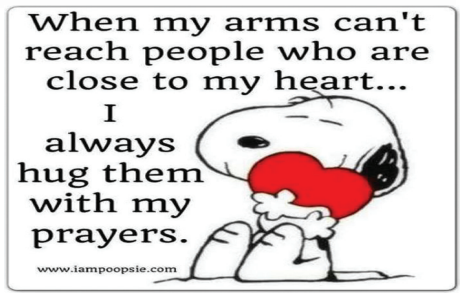
In another e-mail they write, "The South Carolina Supreme Court just heard arguments challenging the state's new 'heartbeat law.' The lawsuit was filed by Planned Parenthood. Because even when a state's voters and lawmakers want to protect life, the big-money lawyers at America's largest abortion seller will do everything they can to keep their Industry of Death open and thriving. Susan B. Anthony Pro-Life America is leading the charge to defund Planned Parenthood and the abortion industry, because: They are wealthy, for-profit abortion businesses, with huge donors around the world." "This 'heartbeat law' in South Carolina protects babies in the womb from abortion beginning at six weeks. That's when a child's heartbeat can be detected. Planned Parenthood has now filed a legal challenge against the law not once, not twice, but three times now." It is usually at six weeks that women first know they are pregnant.

And more recently, from Senator Tommy Tuberville, they posted, "According to the most recent data, ABORTION is the leading cause of death here in our beloved country. Not heart disease. Not cancer. ABORTION. Susan B. Anthony Pro-Life America a nationwide network of more than one million Americans committed to saving babies from the predatory abortion industry, and right now they are leading the charge against 'Big Abortion's' worst offender – PLANNED PARENTHOOD. Nearly half of all babies killed in abortions are dying at the hands of Planned Parenthood 'doctors' around the country. According to their own annual report, Planned Parenthood ended the lives of more than 370,000 boys and girls in one year alone!"

And again, they drove home their case, referring to PP, "they put zero value on the life of a precious baby in the womb. Planned Parenthood, committed 392,715 abortions in the most recent year with available data; that's 1,076 babies killed every day by these 'doctors'" and asserting that Planned Parenthood is, "the worst offender in an industry that is the leading cause of death in America."

Now, Susan B. Anthony is named after the nineteenth century feminist, Susan B. Anthony, and they are very much pro-woman, whereas I am pro-preborn baby. SBA also has a pragmatic approach, whereas I favor the principle that abortion is murder, and murder should be outlawed. Still, SBA is correct in stating that abortionists are in it for the money, and the biggest punk in the pile is Planned Parenthood. This author recommends reading, "Killer Angel:" and, "Grand Illusions:" by George Grant. I assert that while defunding Planned Parenthood is necessary, one can't stop there, these people must be punished for their crimes. While it is also true, that no level of civil government has any Biblically sanctioned role regarding the number of children a family can have, thus all family planning funding ought to be eliminated, it is easier to outlaw government funding of legally proscribed behaviors, hence the drive to outlaw all abortion is paramount. A heart-beat law outlaws most surgical abortion, but a total ban, would be far better of course.

If a feminist organization can find the fervor in their hearts, and the fire in the belly to fight against Planned Parenthood, why can't the Christian pro-life groups and the Christian churches do more? Why are they still satisfied to support a crisis pregnancy center, or an adoption agency, when the vast majority of babies being murdered need the protection of law?





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thou desire thy neighbour's wife, neither shalt thou covet thy neighbour's house, his field, or his manservant, or his maidservant, his ox, or his ass, or anything that is thy neighbour's. These words the Lord spake unto all your assembly in the mount out of the midst of the fire, of the cloud, and of the thick darkness, with a great voice: and he added no more. And he wrote them in two tables of stone, and delivered them unto me." Some major differences are that Moses is speaking in past tense, as opposed to God speaking to Moses, reflected in verses 1-4 and 22. The other major difference is in Exodus the sabbath is based on the Book of Genesis, and in Deuteronomy 5, the sabbath is based on freedom from slavery in Egypt.

Having said that, SCOTUS used our religious differences and the religious basis of God's Commandments to outlaw the posting of the ten commandments in the government schools. According to oyez.com, "In 1980's Stone v. Graham, the US Supreme Court struck down a Kentucky law that required the Ten Commandments to be posted in classrooms. The court ruled that the law violated a test established in 1971's Lemon v. Kurtzman. Sydell Stone and a number of other parents challenged a Kentucky state law that required the posting of a copy of the Ten Commandments in each public-school classroom. They filed a claim against James Graham, the superintendent of public schools in Kentucky. In a 5-to-4 per curiam decision, the Court ruled that the Kentucky law violated the first part of the test established in Lemon v. Kurtzman, and thus violated the Establishment Clause of the Constitution. The Court found that the requirement that the Ten Commandments be posted "had no secular legislative purpose" and was "plainly religious in nature." The Court noted that the Commandments did not confine themselves to arguably secular matters (such as murder, stealing, etc.), but rather concerned matters such as the worship of God and the observance of the Sabbath Day."

The Five Justices that struck down displaying the Ten Commandments were Brennan, White, Marshall, Powell and Stevens. In dissent were Rehnquist, Burger, Stewart, and Blackmun. The phrase, "the Court ruled that the Kentucky law violated the first part of the test established in Lemon v. Kurtzman, and thus violated the Establishment Clause of the Constitution," was written by a slob. The Lemon-Kurtzman test, is not the final arbiter of the Establishment clause of the First Amendment to the US Constitution. The First Amendment, a human document and never superior to the Bible, reads, "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances." The Court had to twist the 14th Amendment, to apply their twisted logic to the State of Kentucky. Finally, posting the Ten Commandments are like posting an exhortation, or a warning, they are not laws. To wit, "Thou shalt," is directed to the individual, thus self-government. To further the expose courts animus, would they strike down the posting of the State's murder statute? Which actually is a law.

The four plaintiffs were Sydell Stone, a Unitarian activist; Bowers, an atheist; Patricia Bricking, a public-school teacher; and Martin Perley, a rabbi. Unitarians, Atheists, and Public-School teachers are all vociferous enemies of Christianity, and of course they were represented by another enemy of the Church, the ACLU. Their lawyer was William C. Stone of the Kentucky ACLU. Thus, majority of Kentucky and American citizens were subjected to the foul opinions of the four hate-filled plaintiffs.

One Kentucky judge, Justice Clayton, wrote in dissent, "The judgment stands affirmed, subject to the provisions of CR 76.32. I agree with the trial judge of the Franklin Circuit Court when, in upholding the constitutionality of KRS § 158.178, he wrote: [T]he fact that the Ten Commandments spring from a religious well does not in itself forever divorce their use for a secular purpose. We can think of no good reason why all or any part of the Bible may not be used for other than religious purposes, for secular purposes, for historical and literary purposes. Basically, the Ten Commandments is a code of conduct which just happens to be rooted in Judeo-Christian history. For the state to use these particular "rules," if you will, to promote moral and legal behavior among its youth seems perfectly acceptable to me. I fail to see how this law advances religion beyond the fact that it may bring to one's attention the basic tenets of a particular scheme of Western philosophical thought. Nor do I see how this statute fosters excessive government entanglement with religion, with emphasis on excessive."

The fact of the matter is, the posting of Ten Commandments in schools would have gone a long way in curbing the juvenile crime rate. But our SCOTUS prefers generations of spoiled reprobates, whose conscience is suppressed. They prefer school shootings, and rape and perversion to the recognition of God, even though they want God to, "save this Supreme Court." Quite frankly, the posting of Ten Commandments needs to be restored, along with other works promoting the recognition of God. The Establishment Clause of the First Amendment should be reamended, along the 14th Amendment. "Separation of Church and State," originally a Baptist drollery, turned Communist slogan, which appeared in the USSR Constitution, and not ours, should be recognized for the program of de-Christianization that is, and placed on the ash heap of history.

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Israel and JFK Assassination

By Ivan Lang

The assassination of JFK happened 62 years ago, and there is no event in modern history that has spurred as many conspiracy theories. One of the newest conspiracy theories is that Israel killed JFK. As with all of the conspiracy theories this one is not based on any actual forensic or documented evidence, it is all based on a phony hypotheses. This accusation bases its theory on two hypotheses.

The first hypothesis is that JFK hated Israel and was trying to prevent Israel from getting the nuclear bomb, therefore, Israel had to kill JFK. While it is true that JFK opposed Israel's attempt at developing the nuclear bomb, there is no evidence at all that JFK actually did anything to prevent Israel from getting the nuclear bomb. Israel did have a nuclear development facility, i.e., Dimona, that JFK knew existed, but JFK did nothing to stop its production.

The second hypothesis was that Israel had an agent of Mossad attached to Lee Harvey Oswald. It is true that the CIA was watching Oswald, but the agent, Reuben Efron, who reviewed Oswald's mail was not an Israeli or attached with Israel. While there is no evidence that Efron had any connection with Israel, he was a Jew. Efron had immigrated to the USA from Lithuania and was a lieutenant colonel in the US Army. At the time of JFK's assassination Efron worked as a document analyst for the CIA and was assigned to read the mail going to Oswald.

There is no other information at all connecting Israel or Efron to the assassination of JFK, and no data connecting Efron to Israel. The conspiracy theorists put 2 and 2 together and they got 22. They found a country which had some conflict, no matter how minor, with the USA, especially its president, and they found a Jew, who had no relationship with Israel, who had some connection with Oswald. I am sure one could make up dozens of conspiracy theories about anything based on this type of analysis.

If one really wanted to find the primary country which had a major conflict with the USA and JFK in 1963, that nation would definitely be USSR or Cuba. The USA almost went to war with USSR over Cuba after the Bay of Pigs disaster in 1961.

If one really wanted to find a person directly connected with the primary enemy country of the USA in 1963, that would be Lee Harvey Oswald. Oswald was a member of the Socialist Party of America since he was 15 years old. Oswald enlisted in the Marine Corps in 1956, but in the service he showed a strong interest in the USSR and he learned Russian. In 1959 Oswald received a hardship discharge from the Marines and a month later traveled to the USSR. One month later, Oswald went to the US embassy in Moscow and declared that he wanted to renounce his citizenship in the USA. Oswald got a job in the USSR and in 1961 he got married. In 1962 Oswald applied for repatriation and he and his wife settled in Texas. In April 1963, Oswald attempted to kill a strong anti-communist member of the John Birch Society, i.e., Edwin Walker. The Oswalds then moved to New Orleans and Lee Harvey joined the Fair Play for Cuba Committee.

Therefore, based on the basic concepts of the conspiracy theory that accused Israel of killing JFK, a much more logical and data-based choice to fit both of their hypotheses was Cuba/USSR and Oswald, not Israel and Efron. It was Cuba/USSR, which was the most anti-USA of all countries that conflicted with JFK in 1963, and JFK almost took the USA to war with USSR over Cuba. It was Oswald who had direct connections with communism and the primary enemy country of the USA, i.e., Cuba/USSR, and had a record of attempted assassination of pro-capitalists. It was also Oswald who had direct forensic, documentary, armament, location, and eye witness evidence supporting his guilt in the assasination of JFK.

While JFK did absolutely nothing against Israel, Hussein Obama enacted a number of direct anti-Israel actions which greatly harmed Israel's defenses, yet Israel did nothing to harm Obama. Obama made a nuclear deal with Israel's number one enemy, i.e. Iran, which would have guaranteed Iran the nuclear bomb in 10 years from the agreement, which would have been this year. Obama also got the UN Security Council to enact a Resolution (#2334) which declared it internationally illegal for Jews to live in Judea and Samaria, which included much of Jerusalem. If Israel was in the business of killing USA presidents, they would have killed Obama.

The facts are that the USA is the only friendly country to Israel in the entire world. If not for the USA the UN would have never accepted Israel as a state and would have made Israel the world enemy. Almost every UN Security Council Resolution is against Israel and the only country that votes no is the USA. There is no way Israel would ever harm any president of the USA, it would be suicide.

Like all murders there are holes in the evidence, but when one looks at all of the actual evidence of all kinds with unbiased logic, there is absolutely no evidence of any sort to suggest that Israel had anything to do with the assassination of JFK. Also, as a Jew it is very hard for me to not conclude that the real basis of this phony insane accusation is anti-Semitism. However, if anyone has any real evidence supporting this conspiracy theory, I am willing to look at, consider it, and acknowledge and accept it if the evidence supports the accusation.

I am an American, not an Israeli. My family came to the USA from Slovakia during the industrial revolution in the late 1800"s along with hundreds of thousands of European coal miners. I grew up in a coal mining town of Miners Mills, PA and lived three blocks from the coal mine. All of my uncles of the appropriate age served in the USA Army during WWII, my father was exempt as my sister, born in 1941, had polio. I was drafted into the army during the Viet Nam war, but was assigned 4F deferment due to asthma. However, my son served in the US Navy. I have voted for Trump three times.

I am very sensitive and concerned about anti-Semitism as a Jew even in the USA, because I have experienced it my entire life, and of course the Holocaust was real and occurred only a few decades ago. During the 1940's my mother's family changed their name from Iskowitz to Ibsen as they feared anti-Semitism. I purchased my first home in a community in Milwaukee in 1982 which had a written policy regarding home sales that prevented selling to Jews. It had not been followed for decades, but it was still on the books, Recently, after the massacre of 1200 Jews in Israel by Hamas, anti-Semitism arose all over the USA especially on college campuses.

It is no small issue for Jews to have a phony conspiracy theory accuse Jews, no matter where they are from, of killing a president of the USA, especially JFK. Anti-Semites do not need much to act and spreading phony conspiracy theories accusing Jews of terrible anti-USA acts is very dangerous for Jews in the USA.

HOT GOVERNMENT **HOT JACK**

Anatomy of a Lobbyist

What is a "Lobbyist"? If you pay attention to politics and how government "works," you can come up with many definitions of the word "Lobbyist," but none of them are good. Today, this is not about what Lobbyists ARE. It's about how they come to be.

Imagine yourself to be some young, skull full of mush coming out of the UW system. You are a complete narcissist with a moral code that is way below average, even for UW. And, most importantly, you have a talent for bending the truth into circles and shoveling crap. Are you following me so far?

Even before you graduate you are trying to determine how you are going to make it in the world. And it's not just getting by that interests you, it's really making it BIG. You need to be both RICH and POWERFUL. But you don't have the skill set to make things or create new technologies critical to the growth of humanity. So, what to do? "I know." you say. "I'll go into politics."

Wait a minute. Being a civil servant doesn't pay jack. (Pun intended.) Even the Speaker of the Assembly only makes $55K or so per year. But you realize that it is not the salary, it's the perks, the benefits, the side hustle, the graft, and the kickbacks that really interest you. Not to mention the really big bucks that await you once you leave the office. THAT's where the REAL MONEY is.

So, you're on your way. You snuggle up to some current big-shot office holder. You run for some no-name county office building a political name for yourself within your chosen party. You go to the next level and then on to the next one after that. And while traveling your career path you build up and/or buy a series of allies and serfs to do your bidding and cover your butt just in case it all falls apart. Included in your list of allies and serfers are members of the opposite party. You build their alliances by cutting deals with them; by making them flush with cash. You even go as far as to sell out your own party and their so-called principles. But who cares? These actions will pay off well in your next life.

Life is good. You have power. You are making $Millions. You can and do crush anyone who might expose you. But it's not enough. It's time to move on to the "Final Frontier." It's time to leave office and become.....gasp.....a Lobbyist.

You have set yourself up well. You have made/bought friends in both parties. You have countless captains of industry, who have made $Millions upon $Millions with your political help and look to make $Millions more with your Lobbying help. Heck. One energy company alone could supply you with a multi-million-dollar income every year. And that doesn't even count all of the others who will be knocking on your door. Life is now Better than Good.

Damn. Maybe I should have been a Lobbyist? Oh, wait. There was something about being "a complete narcissist with a moral code that is way below average; even for UW." Damn again.

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implemented technologies with patents.

Here are just a few more patents relating to chemtrails and geoengineering:

1. US Patent #1619183

US Patent# 2045865

US Patent# 2591988

US Patent# 3437502

US Patent# 3531310

Smoking Guns: Congressional Record & Government Patents

The evidence is overwhelming and irrefutable. HR 2977, The Space Preservation Act of 2001, explicitly lists chemtrails as an "exotic weapon system" in its official documentation. This isn't speculation - it's congressional record.

The CIA and NOAA openly discuss geoengineering as a "climate solution" while pretending it's not already happening. Watch them lie here. Independent lab tests repeatedly find aluminum, barium, strontium, and other heavy metals in rainwater, soil, and even human blood samples—directly under skies heavily affected by chemtrails.

But sure, keep believing that chemtrails are just "ice crystals" in the sky….

The Tide is Turning: States Push Back Against Geoengineering

The fight to stop chemtrails is gaining serious momentum. Our home state of Tennessee is leading the charge through HB1112/SB1033, one of the strongest anti-geoengineering laws in the nation, with a tenfold increase in penalties. Unfortunately, despite growing public support, the bill dissipated in the Senate Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee.

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Alabama recently introduced a bill making chemical weather control a crime, despite predictable backlash from critics who still deny the existence of chemtrails. Arizona is reviewing a similar ban, while Idaho faces growing scrutiny after reports linked USAID-funded programs to suspicious atmospheric spraying. Utah is also advancing legislation to prohibit chemical releases in its skies, with lawmakers openly acknowledging the dangers of uncontrolled geoengineering.

Share The Truth About Cancer

But these states are far from alone. Florida is pushing forward with a ban on weather modification. Texas, Kentucky, Missouri, Montana, and West Virginia have all introduced bills to criminalize unauthorized atmospheric spraying. Even traditionally progressive states like Vermont, New York, and Rhode Island are waking up to the threat, proving that chemtrail skepticism is not a partisan issue—it's a human one.

RFK Jr. and the Whistleblowers Leading the Charge

Public figures like Robert F. Kennedy Jr. are amplifying the pushback, calling out the government's secretive geoengineering programs and demanding accountability. In a recent post on X, Kennedy stated, "24 States move to ban geoengineering our climate by dousing our citizens, our waterways and landscapes with toxins. This is a movement every MAHA needs to support. HHS will do its part."

The battle is far from over, but the momentum is undeniable. Every new state that joins the fight weakens the grip of those poisoning our skies. The next step? Nationwide exposure. More testing, more whistleblowers, and more pressure on federal agencies to admit what they've been doing and then put a stop to the poisoning of our air!

They want you to think you're crazy for noticing the skies are being weaponized. But with two dozen states and counting now fighting back, it's clear who the real conspiracy theorists are—the ones still pretending this isn't happening.

This is not a debate. This is not a theory. This is an ongoing chemical assault on our atmosphere, our environment, and our bodies. The same corrupt nexus of government agencies, defense contractors, and captured mainstream media that lied about WMDs, opioids, and COVID-19 origins now wants you to believe they'd never spray you without consent.

The same institutions that lied about tobacco, that covered up asbestos, that denied Agent Orange's effects, are now telling you to ignore what your eyes can clearly see above you every day. They want you docile. They want you compliant. They want you scrolling TikTok while they turn the atmosphere into a chemical experiment.

The Time for Whispers Has Passed

We are done being docile and compliant. We are done with quiet concerns. We are finished with so-called "independent studies" conducted by the very agencies neck-deep in this criminal enterprise. What we demand now—what we will accept nothing less than—is bold, uncompromising executive action that matches the scale of this atmospheric assault.

The American people will no longer tolerate the lies. We demand the immediate declassification of all atmospheric modification programs, patents, and contracts—no more hiding behind the tired excuse of "national security" while our children inhale aluminum nanoparticles with every breath.

We insist on the complete suspension of all geoengineering operations until truly independent scientists (not the bought-and-paid-for academics who rubber-stamp every government atrocity) can prove these programs are safe. The very notion that we must poison the sky to save it would be laughable if it weren't so grotesque; this is the logic of arsonists posing as firefighters, of murderers claiming to be healers.

We demand the prosecution of every corporation, contractor, and government official responsible for this ecocide under existing environmental laws. If a factory cannot legally dump barium into a river, how is it that defense contractors are permitted to spray it unchecked from 30,000 feet? This isn't just a policy—it's a matter of survival.

Look up. Fight back. And don't let them spray us into silence. And when some smug media anchor clown or social media influencer tells you that "chemtrails aren't real," remind them that two dozen state governments disagree – and the evidence is written across the sky in 50-mile-long toxic streaks.

You've Got Some Nerve: Vagus Nerve Care for Better Mental Health

Lately, there has been much attention on the vagus nerve as it is an essential bridge for communication between the brain and critical organs in the body. Stress has a negative impact on the brain, heart, breath rate, and digestion. Today, we understand there are ways to bolster the health and healing of this critical aspect of the parasympathetic nervous system to ease feelings of fight or flight response.

The vagus nerve consists of a fibrous system of nerves that communicate up and down the lower part of the brain, through the neck and chest, and then end in the stomach. This network plays a key role in stress response, mental health, cognitive function, emotional regulation, immune response, blood pressure, cardiovascular health, and gut health.

If you find yourself having difficulty with anxiety, anger, fear, or depression, or you want to feel more balanced, there are a variety of ways to reset your vagus nerve as a part of your wellness routine.

Sound- Breathe through the nose, exhale long, keeping your mouth closed, and exhale as you create a soft buzzing sound using the back of your throat. Continue until you feel less constricted.

Tapping – Hum while your mouth is open, say, "Ah." Use both hands' fingertips, gently tap the top of your head, tapping gently a line at the center, slowly and rhythmically several times. Move both hands to tap the same way, across your forehead, then, above the lip. Continue at the chin, at the temples, at your cheekbones, use the outside of your hands to tap at the back and base of your head, use the inside of your hands to tap across your kidneys, tap with fingertips under collar bones, and then tap on the breastbone. Take a relaxing breath and begin again until you feel calm.

Micro Massage –Focus on relaxed breathing while you use two fingers to find the occipital bone at the base of your skull and gently glide the skin toward the right and then the left until you feel the body relax or sigh. Repeat on the other side.

Eye Exercises – Positioning your eyes activates aspects of the nervous system. To promote relaxation, stimulate digestion, and replenish energy, lie in a relaxed position breathe gently, use only your eyes, look off to the lower left, and hold for 30-60 seconds. Repeat by looking to the lower right side.

FSM - Frequency-specific microcurrent is a noninvasive therapy that uses low-level electrical pulses to treat musculoskeletal injuries and pain. According to the developer, Dr. Carolyn McMakin, FSM may modulate the vagus nerve to treat various conditions such as depression, autoimmune diseases, gastrointestinal disorders, and chronic pain syndromes.

"We are seeing increased anxiety, chronic pain, and stress-related illness in our patients. FSM is a promising treatment for anxiety and pain," says Susan Rohr, RN and owner of Brookfield Health and Wellness.

These are simple ways to help reclaim a healthy autonomic nervous system. Try these methods daily or weekly to see which works best for you.

